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## Commencement Jottings

▶▶ ALL THE TIME that General Marshall stood on the outdoor platform to hear the citation of his honorary degree, a large yellow-jacket droned a few inches from his head. Any former buck private, drilled in the art of standing at attention, would have been proud of the General, who didn't budge.

▶ General Marshall, invited to receive 27 honorary degrees this June, accepted three: Harvard, Amherst, and Brown. He came to Providence directly from Amherst.

▶ During his visit, the General was industriously guarded by Providence police, two of whom, marching in plain clothes near him in the Commencement procession, were mistaken for U. S. Secret Service men. Two policemen were on duty watching over President Wriston's house, where Secretary Marshall was an overnight guest Sunday night. Late in the evening they found a young man fumbling at the lock on the back door and pounced on him, letting him go only when a member of the household identified him as one of the students who has been living in the President's house through the academic year.

▶ Never was the sidewalk crowd so large nor so many photographers of all degrees of competence in evidence as when the 1947 Commencement procession passed. All eyes were waiting for the Secretary of State, whose presence as a "guest of the University" had been announced (although the tradition of not anticipating honorary degrees had been observed). One small boy walked the whole route down the Hill, as near as he could get to Mr. Marshall, from the campus to the church door, smiling up at his hero. Forgetting that the General was now a civilian, many looked for an officer in uniform. (Some people looked twice at the only uniformed Army officer among the invited guests—Governor Pastore's aide.)

▶ As the procession moved out, Secretary Marshall began a conversation with his marching partner, Allen Dulles, former diplomat and OSS official whose views on foreign affairs are grounded in wide experience and study. The chat became so spirited and Marshall was so intent in driving home points that he seemed un-

aware of his surroundings at first. The first of many bursts of applause at the Van Wickle Gates, seemed to take him by surprise. Though embarrassed at first, he beamed and occasionally acknowledged the continuing ovation.

▶ One young girl broke through the line on the return to the campus, saying to the plain-clothesmen, "May I come in?" "Sister, you're in," they said. She wanted an autograph, a sudden decision, for she had no pen or pencil. The General fished for his own pen, signed with some difficulty while walking, and remarked, "I don't write this way all the time." The girl was Gwen Anthony, daughter of H. Cushman Anthony '26.

▶ When the procession had reached the College Green, no time was lost in summoning the Secretary of State to the platform, reading the citation, and placing the Brown hood over his head. General Marshall had to leave immediately in order to fly to Washington for a 2:30 White House appointment. He did not change from his cap and gown until he was in an automobile on the way to the Hills Grove Airport.

▶ When General Marshall was Chief of Staff in the War Department, running a global war, his assistant secretary was Miss Florence Newsome, first Rhode Island woman to join the WAAC. Now Mrs. Charles E. Johnson of Brook St., she dropped around the corner to President Wriston's house to leave a small gift for the General, found him arrived Sunday night ahead of schedule, and was one of his few visitors.

▶ There was a cute youngster of four or five with his parents in Sayles Hall during the Alumni Meeting. He was a fine, little lad and no mistake, but the restless time arrived when his chatter began to distract those who sought to listen to Mr. Dulles' important speech. The mother knew the only thing to do was to take the boy out of the hall. His neighbors settled back to enjoy the new silence and pick up the thread of the discussion again. But the boy wasn't done; at the door, just as he was being led out, he turned and called to Mr. Dulles with a polite, good-humored and very loud "Goodbye!"

▶ Among the duties of Prof. Zenas Bliss over Commencement was to act as aide and guide to General Marshall. But one responsibility he was able to pass on: University Hall called him in May to ask where the sun would be at 10:30 on the morning of June 16. That one he referred to the Astronomy Department, although the former navigator of the America's Cup Defenders could have figured it out, no doubt. University Hall had to know about the sun in planning where to put the platform for the outdoor graduation, so that the question had a point. Incidentally, the sun behaved beautifully on June 16.

▶ The Brown and Pembroke Seniors had all received their degrees, obeying the Latin commands implicitly. Their instruction had included interpretation of the phrases "Candidati . . . consurgant" and "Candidati . . . ascendant." They got up again when Dr. Wriston ordered: "Candidati honorati nunc ascendant." The Seniors sat down again, however, while the members of the Classics Faculty scowled and the candidates for honorary degrees mounted the platform, as called.

▶ Jean Muller Ross, Pembroke Senior, received her degree on Commencement Day in Tokyo. She went out early to Japan with her husband, who is with the State Department, and took her final exams by mail through special arrangement between Pembroke and the Tokyo Army Educational Center.

▶ Kenneth J. Hovey '27 of Baltimore proudly wore in the Commencement procession the class badge of his grandfather, the late Rev. Arthur J. Hovey '69.

▶ President Bixler, speaking at the Alumni Dinner, said he had recently seen in California a man who had been one of his "most inspiring teachers"—Dr. Alexander Meiklejohn '93.

▶ William Ely '78 of Coronado, Calif., was the oldest alumnus to take part in the weekend functions. He celebrated his 89th birthday by attending the graduation exercises. Since his own, he has been on College Hill virtually every year for Commencement and this year drove on from the Coast, where he makes his winter home. Sharing the applause with him at the Alumni Dinner were three members of the Class of 1882 who came in arm in arm.

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COMMENCEMENT: AL FRESCO: Looking from the rear of the crowd of 4000 as 517 Seniors received their degrees at Brown. (All pictures by Brown Photographic Lab unless otherwise noted.)



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### ► ► Variations on a Commencement Theme

► ► A broken precedent, on which the gods of the open air smiled for the consequent benefit of 517 Seniors and thousands of witnesses, was the feature of a memorable June weekend at Brown, the University's 179th annual Commencement. The graduation exercises, June 16, were split between the First Baptist Meeting House, host to graduating classes since 1776, and the College Green, a happy expedient made necessary by the number of Seniors.

What would have happened if one of those rare rainy Commencements had arrived? That is pure horrendous speculation, for the entire weekend was marked by good weather—for the festivities of Class Day and Class Night, for the Graduate School's separate Convocation (revived in the former tradition) on Saturday, for the Baccalaureate Service and President's Reception, for the great day itself, and of course for the class reunions and Alumni Dinner.

It was a record-breaking Senior Class—411 men and 106 Pembroke women—and the dilemma of accommodating their guests in the Meeting House when they were to receive their degrees was discussed at some length in the last issue of this magazine. Other thousands had an interest in the occasion when it was announced that Secretary of State George C. Marshall was to be present, to march down the Hill with graduates so many of whom had fought under his command.

#### BOTH CHURCH AND GREEN

► Tradition was honored, in that the Seniors and the alumni proceeded as always to the Meeting House for a portion of the ceremony. But, after the delivering of the Senior orations, the exercises were interrupted, the academic procession was reformed, and all returned to the top of the Hill. And under the elms of the College Green, with old University Hall as the background for a special platform, the Seniors received their diplomas. Parents, wives, and other guests who could have found no place in the church, thus saw the formal graduation and were proud. They had also listened, over a public address system, to the earlier proceedings, broadcast from the church to Sayles Hall.

As was the case a year ago, a Pembroke Senior shared with a Brown Senior the honor of addressing the graduating class. Miss Frances M. Tallman of Providence, seeking a basis for international understanding, urged an organized system of personal correspondence between individuals everywhere to bring this about. Joseph R. Weisberger of East Providence said peace-makers must know the difference between solutions and expedients, and above all must know themselves if we are to avoid another Vienna or Versailles. The Senior orations are as traditional as Commencement and of as long standing as Brown.

Further evidence of the return to days of peace was provided when Capt. Francis D. McCorkle, commanding officer of the Navy ROTC unit at Brown, mounted the platform to swear in candidates for Marine or Navy commissions. Compared with last June's 104, only eight were commissioned.

**THE COVER PHOTO:** A rooftop view from Slater Hall of the graduation on the Green. There are empty seats only because Seniors have left them to go to the platform for their diplomas.



**THROUGH THE VAN WICKLE GATES** as the procession returned to the campus. Prof. George E. Downing is mace-bearer; behind him Chancellor Sharpe and President Wriston, with Chaplain Washburn following. The gates, of course, are swinging out, as always on Commencement Day.

#### HIS 10TH ANNIVERSARY

► IT WAS PRESIDENT WRISTON'S 10th anniversary at Brown, and a brimming one it proved to be for him. There were Senior dinners at Brown and Pembroke, there were the exercises "Under the Elms" on Class Day, there was his reception after the Baccalaureate Service on Sunday. The Corporation held its annual meeting on Saturday, he paid brief visits to a dozen class reunions over the weekend, he was host to General Marshall, he announced the year's benefactions to Brown during the Sayles Hall meeting, he dedicated a memorial to Dr. Charles H. Hare '85, benefactor of Andrews House. And a major appearance was as guest of honor at the Alumni Dinner in Marvel Gym Sunday night where there was congratulatory reference not only to his 10 years at Brown but also his impending wedding.

But to many an alumnus there is no event of the June weekend, however sentimental, however impressive, that can compare with the simple fact that Commencement



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time means reunion with one's college friends. This fellowship in a curiously persisting timelessness brings the men back, a form of their allegiance to the central Brown. This year all major anniversaries were observed and an increasing number of minor ones. Three reunions were campus-based, while scores of other Brown men availed themselves of Commencement housing in the dormitories. (It is our plan to report fully on the various reunions in the September issue.)

Exams over, the Seniors started their program June 12 with dinner in Faunce House, attended as well by those men who had completed their studies in February and were returned for the graduation formalities. President Wriston, at his best on such an occasion, was the principal speaker, but Dean Samuel T. Arnold and Alumni Executive Officer William B. McCormick also talked to the Seniors, the latter on behalf of the alumni, in welcome. Vice-President Bruce M. Bigelow was toastmaster, while Senior Marshal Paul A. Nickel presented the varsity letter awards to the athletes and acted for the Class of 1910 in giving its trophy to John C. Petropoulos, whose combination of scholarship and football achievement entitled him to it. There were cigars.

### CLASS DAY AND NIGHT

► "UNDER THE ELMS" on the College Green, in addition to Marshal Nickel and Dr. Wriston, the participants for the Seniors were Michael A. Gammino, Jr., historian; Abraham Ehrenhaus, orator; and M. David Bell, poet. A crowd estimated at 1000 had a preview of the Commencement accommodations in the open air between University Hall and Sayles Hall. Dean and Mrs. Arnold, Dean and Mrs. Kenny, and Dean and Mrs. Walker received the Seniors and their guests informally at the end of the exercises. The same wooden floor served that night for the "campus dance" of Class Night. It was an attractive spectacle, an opportunity for meeting friends during the promenade, and a good party generally. At midnight the dancing outdoors and in Sayles Hall halted for the time-prescribed singing of Brown songs on the steps of Sayles. It was one of those moments you like to remember, and do.



THEIR 60th: Dr. Edmund D. Chesebro, with sign, and Dr. Arthur I. Connell advertise their anniversary. Senator Green marched with the Fellows, and Irving C. Hicks also attended the reunion.

While the Corporation met on Saturday, the Rhode Island Alpha of Phi Beta Kappa met and added to its membership and the alumnae of Pembroke had their annual meeting. In the afternoon the Graduate School awarded 48 advanced degrees at its separate Convocation in Sayles Hall, with Dean Richard Chace Tolman of California Tech as speaker, a tea in the John Carter Brown Library adding its gracious hour.

Through the last weeks of the College year, one occasion after another served as reminder of the retirement of the Chaplain, Dr. Arthur L. Washburn. His last chapel was attended by a warm salute from the students, compliments came to him at formal luncheon and informal dinner, and it was wholly appropriate that he should be the preacher of the Baccalaureate Sermon. His congregation seemed to receive the full depth of meaning and emotion in his valedictory and benediction. The President's Reception, which followed the service, was held in the open air on the south end of the College Green near the flagpole. Dr. Wriston, Dean Morris, Dr. and Mrs. Bigelow, Dr. and Mrs. Arnold, and Dr. and Mrs. Cochran were in the receiving line.

### THE REUNION OF REUNIONS

► THE EXPERIMENT of holding the Alumni Dinner on Sunday evening seemed to work out well, for there were large delegations which came back from the reunions to join with the "off-year" men in the "reunion of reunions." More than 600 thronged the Marvel Gym for the affair arranged by Judge Robert E. Quinn's committee. Dominating the scene was the large painting of Van Wickle Gates and University Hall by Leslie Allen Jones '26, a handsome and deceptively realistic representation.

Light-hearted moments were interspersed among the serious messages from the head table. There were cheers for alumni venerables and other notables as the chair noted their presence. There were rousing songs of Brown as prompted by Earl M. Pearce '17 and Earl Perkins '12. And a high spot was a presentation to Dr. Wriston by Charles P. Sisson '11, chairman of the Association of Class Secretaries. The gift was a mammoth, festive, and reputedly edible cake whose origin had been supervised by Fred C. Broomhead '05. It was in the shape of a quadrangle, a completed quadrangle, with 10 figures of boys and girls, symbols of those under his guidance, serving as the anniversary candles. On top were the figures of bride and groom, and Mr. Sisson did his best to learn the secret of Dr. Wriston's wedding date. ("I'd tell you if I knew the date myself," the President replied.)

The President of the Associated Alumni was not on hand until the next day, for he was receiving an honorary

► **BULLETIN:** Appointment of Robert O. Loosley of Providence as Secretary of Brown University was announced in early July as this issue was on the press. He will not assume his duties at the University until after the 1947 Red Feather campaign of the R. I. Community Chest, of which he has been executive secretary.

"As Secretary of the University," President Wriston said in newspaper releases, "Mr. Loosley will become one of the administrative officers of Brown. His major responsibility will be in the field of University development, and he will have general charge of long-term financial promotion. His first responsibility will be for the completion of the current Housing and Development campaign."





**IN THE OPEN AIR?** The illusion comes from the wonderful backdrop of Van Winkle Gates and U.H. painted by Leslie Allen Jones '26, borrowed from Brownbrokers and hung in Marvel Gym for the Alumni Dinner. The head table group, left to right, half of H. Stanton Smith '21, Dr. Richard C. Tolman, Judge John C. Mahoney '05, Chancellor Henry D. Sharpe '94, Dr. Wriston, Judge Robert E. Quinn '15, President J. Seelye Bixler of Colby, Senator Theodore Francis Green '87, Arthur B. Homer '17, Chaplain Arthur L. Washburn, Col. G. Edward Buxton '02, and Charles P. Sisson '11 are obscured.

degree from Wesleyan. But Vice-President (and, as it proved, President-elect) H. Stanton Smith '21 acted for him, paying tribute to Dr. Moses L. Crossley's inspiring, forward-looking leadership and his faithful attention to office during the two years of his term now ending. Mr. Smith made the annual award of Brown Bear Trophies for conspicuous alumni service to two stalwarts, Lewis S. Milner '02 of Providence and William P. Burnham '07 of Braintree, Mass. (Previous winners have been: Dr. Crossley, Dr. John J. Morrissey '10, the late Col. Karl D. Gardner '13, Quentin J. Reynolds '24, W. Earl Sprackling '10, Dr. William W. Browne '08, Alexander Graham '06, the late Dennis F. O'Brien '98, the late Albert B. Meacham '96, and Ralph M. Palmer '10, all of New York; Nathaniel Blaisdell '83 of San Francisco, and Henry S. Chafee '09 of Providence.)

#### CHAMPIONS OF THE MIND

► ONE OF THE two principal speakers, a very ingratiating, effective one—Dr. J. Seelye Bixler, President of Colby College, warned that "there is much knowledge in the world, but little wisdom, and the world needs wisdom to survive." Reviewing the work of the veterans in American colleges, he acknowledged that they were working

hard and getting high grades. But he wondered if some of the work was not feverish rather than reflective. "If we are not careful, they will simply add to the number of those who already possess knowledge and lack wisdom," he said. While they were rushing to recoup the loss of the best years of their lives, the veteran's plight was not wholly a war aftermath, for before the war it had become fashionable to "play down the claims of the mind."

"Now we find ourselves in the grip of fear. It is impossible to do justice to the aims of liberal education while we are in this mood. We shall turn our backs on what the study of the mind has to teach us if we accept the view that life is lived on the basis of sheer competition. We must reach the level where we understand what things and ideas are, in and for themselves. Ten years ago Brown found a President who understood what the search for ideas could mean to the students engaged in the search and the society influenced by it. Under his leadership—and he has fearlessness to match his active mind—I hope American education may go on to serve our times and the future, to bring out the distinctive contribution the mind has to offer, to insist on the essential relevance of the intellectual quest to social problems."



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President Wriston told the alumni that the world had a lesson to learn from the revolt of the intellectuals, in the light of Europe's tragic experience and the detachment of our own intellectuals from the social, economic, and political fabric of the nation. The teachers' strikes showed how seriously the community had come to undervalue their services, how they had drifted to the left because of the destruction of the vast neutral zone of liberalism, how the significance of the individual was declining. The anti-intellectualism of society is provoking trouble as a natural consequence, he felt. Larger salaries are necessary but the least of the necessities; the greatest need is for our industrial society to realize the validity of the words of our Charter at Brown: that institutions for liberal education are "highly beneficial to society by forming the rising generation to virtue, knowledge, and useful literature and . . . are for the general advantage and honor of the government."

A general reception preceded the Alumni Dinner, with the Athletic Trophy Room attracting a large number of visitors to talk of victories and heroes whose souvenirs are there on display in Marvel Gym.

### AN APPEAL TO AID EUROPE

► THE COMMENCEMENT CAME to its close with the customary Sayles Hall assembly, the annual meeting of the Associated Alumni, which was particularly well attended. The featured speaker was one of the new alumni of the morning, Dr. Allen W. Dulles, who made an effective appeal for economic aid to Western Europe. Admitting that the program would be expensive in terms of money and effort, he contended such assistance was vital in order to forestall disaster abroad, on which Communism would feed. He urged his plan as a preventive but also believed it would bridge the gap in understanding and collaboration between the democratic and Communistic states. The alternative might be an economic Pearl Harbor, he said.

His program was five-fold: 1. Take account of the coal problems of England, France, and of the Ruhr. 2. Deal with the food production shortages in those countries where local production is insufficient. 3. Permit an authoritative agency to deal, even drastically, with the economy of the three western zones of Germany. 4. Funnel the maximum share of available credit into increasing production rather than into mere feeding. 5. Take account of the overpopulation in Western Europe and the need for a controlled but large-scale emigration. Our share in the cost might approximate the cost of a few months' participation in World War II.

Dr. Dulles pointed out that his observations were made after his convictions had been strengthened during a recent trip abroad, supplementing his wartime impressions. Americans at home, he said, do not appreciate the consequences of Europe's two devastating wars. We must not overlook the historical fact that peoples have maintained their freedom only where reasonable standards of living have been preserved. "The time has come to draw up a balance sheet," he said, "to weigh the importance to the United States of acting in time to give Europe a chance of survival as a free society." The plan would require "a pooling of the resources of democracy in the common interest."

Governor John O. Pastore brought the greetings and compliments of the State of Rhode Island in cordial, gracious fashion. Dr. Moses L. Crossley '09 conducted a brief business meeting, during which alumni election results were announced and amendments to the alumni by-laws were voted in accordance with the recommendations from the Advisory Council and Executive Committee published

in the last issue of this magazine. President Wriston, bespeaking the University's gratitude for the year's gifts, cited a number of them, the full list being published in advance proofs of the ALUMNI MONTHLY story, which were distributed at the hall. The presiding officer was Chapin S. Newhard '22 of St. Louis, member of the 25-year class. The platform group also included Chaplain Arthur L. Washburn, Chancellor Henry D. Sharpe '94, Col. G. Edward Buxton '02, National Chairman of the Brown University Housing and Development Campaign, and H. Stanton Smith '21, alumni president-elect.

Throughout the Commencement period, the University Club held open house, and special exhibits in the libraries were rewarding.



**MRS. HENRY M. WRISTON:** The bride of Brown's President was Miss Marguerite Woodworth, Dean of Women at Oberlin College, who held similar posts at Syracuse and Lawrence College. A graduate of Syracuse, she also studied at Columbia, St. Hugh's College (Oxford), and the Sorbonne. Those who know her speak of her as a woman of charm and grace as well as professional attainment, and all Brunonians, felicitating the President and happy for him, await their opportunity to welcome Mrs. Wriston. The wedding took place June 28 in Hingham, Mass., at the home of Dr. Wriston's father, Rev. Henry L. Wriston, who officiated. Only members of the immediate family were present, with Miss Barbara Wriston attending the bride and Walter B. Wriston serving as best man.

## Accolade for 10 ◀

►►► FOUR ALUMNI were among the 10 distinguished Americans upon whom Brown University conferred honorary degrees during the Commencement exercises on the College Green this year. Popular interest centered in the degree of Doctor of Laws which Secretary of State George C. Marshall received as the first act in the precedent-making ceremony in the open air east of University Hall.

The alumni included: James C. Collins, secretary of the Class of 1892, Providence attorney who was a founder and the first chairman of the National Association of Bar Examiners. Arthur B. Homer '17, who administered the largest ship construction project in the world during the war before his elevation to the presidency of the Bethlehem Steel Company in 1945. Miss Marion S. Cole '07, Principal of Lincoln School in Providence, prominent in the field of American secondary education. Rev. Merrick L. Streeter '07, Baptist minister and former Burma missionary who was an OWI aide during the war.

Science, public service, and the church were represented by the other recipients. Allen W. Dulles, author, diplomat and New York lawyer, is president of the Council on Foreign Relations and the Near East College Association. He was a leading figure in the Office of Strategic Services during the war and was chief of the OSS Mission to Germany after V-E Day. Rt. Rev. Granville Gaylord Bennett is former Bishop of Duluth and the new Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Rhode Island. Vice Admiral Harold G. Bowen was director of the Naval Research Laboratory during the war and special advisor to the Secretary of the Navy on scientific matters. He is the brother of Col. William M. P. Bowen '84. Columbus O. Iselin, a leader in oceanography, has been director of the Woods Hole Institution for the past six years. Louis C. Gerry is president of the R. I. Hospital, wartime chairman of the Providence Chapter of the American Red Cross, and a prominent business executive.

Announcement was also made that Master of Art degrees ad eundem were being awarded to six full professors, making them honorary alumni of Brown, since they are not Brown graduates. They are: George K. Anderson, English; Maurice H. Heins, Mathematics; Hunter Kellenberger, Modern Languages; Captain Francis D. McCorkle, USN, Naval Science; Harold Schlosberg, Psychology; and Philip Taft, Economics.

Presidential citations followed the Brown tradition for concise eloquence and integrity, as Dr. Wriston spoke for the Board of Fellows. The citations follow, in the order of the conferring (except that General Marshall's was read first to permit his early departure):

**LOUIS CARDELL GERRY, A.M.:** Democracy thrives on public spirit, upon the readiness of citizens to contribute time and labor, energy and money to private agencies dedicated to the public interest. Without thought of recognition you have put your keen insight and gift of analysis at the service of the Red Cross, the Rhode Island Hospital, and many other charitable and educational enterprises.

**MERRICK LYON STREETER, D.D.:** Immediately after leaving divinity school, you turned your talents and your zeal to missionary endeavor in Burma. Your frontier post in one of the most sensitive areas in all the world gave you profound understanding of the Asiatic temper. Following a hazardous escape from Japanese occupation forces, you served the Office of War Information with rare proficiency, performing onerous assignments as translator and broadcaster in native tongues, exerting influence of strategic value upon the populations of Burma and Indo-China.

**MARION SHIRLEY COLE, Ed.D.:** Transcending sound and constructive administrative management of an educational institution are ability to enlighten and inspire unfolding minds, capacity



**TIBI SOLEMNITER TRADO:** The Secretary of State receives Brown's honorary degree of Doctor of Laws. With Dr. Wriston on the platform are Prof. Robert H. George and Prof. William T. Hastings.

to recognize and appreciate subtleties of personality, wisdom in developing individual poise, and skill in encouraging social responsibility. Because in all these respects you have fully capitalized rich opportunities, we delight to honor you.

**COLUMBUS O'DONNELL ISELIN, Sc.D.:** Through years of patient toil, you attained a position of leadership in a field of tremendous military and civilian significance. Through foresight and wise direction, you were able to correlate and control the vast war program of oceanographic research for the Navy. Personifying the true scientific spirit in your own labors, you added deft and tactful guidance to scholarship and learning, stimulating others to their best endeavors.

**HAROLD GARDINER BOWEN, Sc.D.:** Son of Providence, product of its schools and the United States Naval Academy, with post-graduate study at Columbia and the Naval Post-Graduate School at Annapolis: Notable innovations with high-pressure, high-temperature steam; valuable experimentation in power systems, particularly turbines; pilot operations for the concentration of fissionable material; contributions to the refinement of radar; all these manifest a versatile and inquiring intellect, and give you distinction in a distinguished service.

**ARTHUR BARTLETT HOMER, LL.D.:** The historical American success story tells of the boy who began at the bottom, and by virtue, industry, and ability worked his way to the top. Latterly the idea that a man can achieve success by sticking to his last has all but disappeared. Modern times have seen restlessness in shifting from one employment to another. With particular pleasure, therefore, we recognize an alumnus who has moved steadily from responsibility to responsibility within a single corporation, growing in grasp and outlook, as in authority. There is genuine satisfaction in honoring one who has reached a post of industrial statesmanship which, through his own endeavors, he is fully qualified to fill.

**JAMES CROSS COLLINS, LL.D.:** A character in which is neither variableness nor shadow of turning; a mind alert, perceptive, resourceful in the application of legal procedures; a personality which unites warmth with dignity and reserve; humor, quick and rich, combined with self-restraint; and a deep sense of earnestness; these traits have brought you recognition at the Bar, the cordial respect of fellow citizens, and the loyal affection of hosts of friends.

**GRANVILLE GAYLORD BENNETT, LL.D.:** Brown University seeks to honor you, not so much for having attained high office in the Church, nor for those gifts of leadership and administration which twice have justified your being chosen head of a diocese; rather we honor your inner qualities which shine through the outward deed; your dedication, without any reservation, to a great cause; your passionate devotion; the conviction and penetration of your exposition of the gospel.

**ALLEN WELSH DULLES, LL.D.:** An inherited interest in American diplomacy, broad experience in the State Department and on foreign assignments, the practice of law upon an international scale laid the foundation for wartime diplomatic intelligence work of the highest order. The vast energy, the infinite resource-



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fulness, the sweep of imagination, the flawless discretion, and rare discrimination in reporting, which you put at the service of your country, bore abundant fruits and helped end the strife with at least one of our principal enemies.

GEORGE CATLETT MARSHALL, LL.D.: No one in American history has manifested more effectively the statesmanship inherent in superb military leadership; no one understands more clearly the relationship which power must bear to political commitments in a world still badly disorganized; no other person has better combined shrewd judgments of character, rigorous standards of performance, and unique patience in securing teamwork in great enterprises. So may you bring to fulfillment Abraham Lincoln's ideal, and "with malice toward none, with charity for all, with firmness in the right as God gives us to see the right, . . . strive on to finish the work" so nobly begun and "to do all which may achieve and cherish a just and lasting peace . . . with all nations."

### *New Honors for Dr. Crossley*

▶▶ WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY this June honored Dr. Moses L. Crossley '09, "brilliant son of our neighbor Brown University, inspiring teacher at Wesleyan; and since 1918 a recognized leader in the American organic chemical industry." President Butterfield conferred the honorary degree of Doctor of Science with the following citation:

"Moses Leverock Crossley, research director of a great chemical concern: after serving Wesleyan well for five years as a liberal scholar and teacher, you soon achieved leadership and distinction in the field of industrial research. Beyond your great talents for organizing intelligent and productive research are even greater gifts and attitudes of fundamental importance in social leadership. Committee to the importance of pure science, aware of the need for broad and versatile scholars, you are above all concerned with science's contribution to human welfare at its basic levels of physical and mental health, and social and political harmony. Since you reflect in yourself and your achievements the faith of the liberal college, we welcome you back among us to achieve at our hands the honorary degree of Doctor of Science."

On July 24 Dr. Crossley, who has just completed his term as President of Brown's Associated Alumni, will fly to London to attend the 11th Congress of Pure and Applied Chemistry. He was also a member of the eighth, ninth, and tenth Congresses in 1912, 1934, and 1938. In addition, he will be U. S. delegate to the Union of Applied Chemistry. At each session he will present papers, particularly concerned with summarizing work in the chemistry of blood proteins in disease.

Dr. Crossley received the 1947 Gold Medal of the American Institute of Chemists May 2. Among the speakers at the Institute's dinner was President Wriston who described "Crossley as I Know Him." They were colleagues on the Wesleyan Faculty before their association at Brown. The June issue of *The Chemist* gives the speeches before the Institute on "The Scientific Achievements of Dr. Crossley" by Dr. A. J. Hill, director of Yale's Sterling Chemistry Laboratory, and "Dr. Crossley in Industry," by S. C. Moody, Vice-President of American Cyanamid Co. and general manager of Calco Chemical Division. Dr. Crossley's response on "Research and Human Welfare" is the lead article in an issue which has his portrait on the cover and is otherwise devoted to the fine tribute paid the leader.

### *Honorary Degree to Dean Arnold*

▶ DEAN SAMUEL T. ARNOLD '13, cited as a true friend of the College as well as a distinguished scientist whose wartime service in the Manhattan District was of high importance, received the honorary degree of Doctor of Science at the 1947 Commencement of the R. I. College of Pharmacy and Allied Sciences. President Albert W. Claflin '06 read the citation. Dean W. Henry Rivard '08 gave a major address.

## Alumni Choices ◀



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**H. STANTON SMITH '21: The new President of the Associated Alumni received his cane.**

▶▶ H. STANTON SMITH '21, Rhode Island Vice-President of the Associated Alumni for the past two years, became national President after general balloting by the Brown alumni this spring. When his election was announced by his predecessor, Dr. Moses L. Crossley '09, Smith mounted the platform of Sayles Hall on Commencement Day to receive the President's Cane as symbol of office.

Mr. Smith has just completed an effective term as President of the Providence Brown Club, was chairman of the 1946 Alumni Dinner, is treasurer of his class, chairman of the nautical advisory board of the Brown Yacht Club, and an active worker in the Housing and Development Campaign. Vice-President and director of the Hope Webbing Co. and the Anchor Webbing Co., he is also active in community affairs and business associations.

John S. Collier '29, former Olympic hurdler, now a master at St. Paul's School, Concord, N. H., was chosen alumni representative on the Brown Athletic Advisory Council to succeed Paul N. Swaffield '16 of Boston. Starting on a three-year term, Mr. Collier will be one of three Council members representing the alumni, including the new Chairman of the Council, Thomas F. Gilbane '33, and J. Richmond Fales '10.

The alumni also voted on Vice-Presidents and Directors for their respective regions. Vice-Presidents, serving two years, will be: J. Cunliffe Bullock '02 of Providence; Edward T. Brackett '14 of Boston; Dr. William W. Browne '08 of Yonkers, N. Y.; F. Donald Bateman '29 of Barrington, Ill.; and Nathaniel Blaisdell '83 of San Francisco. New Directors are: Howard F. Eastwood '29 of Providence, John M. Curtis '30 of Newton Centre, Mass.; Robert B. Perkins '29 of Ramsey, N. J.; James R. Bremner '34 of Chicago; and Lawrence L. Larrabee '09 of Los Angeles.

In addition to those named on the back-cover of this issue, the Board of Directors will also include seven alumni to be appointed by the President of the Associated Alumni and three Alumni Trustees and a Faculty representative to be appointed by the President of the University. Frederick E. Schoeneweiss '20, who was unopposed for reelection as alumni Treasurer, is also a member of the new board, which will meet in September to organize. ◀



*In Andrews House*

▶▶ IN A QUIET, stirring ceremony, apart from the excitement of Commencement, Brown University honored one of its most generous benefactors Sunday afternoon, June 15, when a plaque was unveiled in memory of the late Dr. Charles Henry Hare '85. The Boston gynecologist, recipient of a Brown honorary degree at the end of his career, had given \$331,570 in 1937 to establish Andrews House and later a substantial fund to provide income for its maintenance as one of the world's finest collegiate infirmaries.

As President Wriston pointed out in a brief commentary before the gathering, a tablet had been placed in the main hall of Andrews House to identify the principal benefactors, but the inspiration had come from Dr. Hare. As to form, nature, and even its furnishings, it had been his decision.

"Dr. Hare was interested in the whole man—not just medical, surgical, or neurological care," Dr. Wriston said. "He wanted us to have for the students a home away from home, even better than a home. He had been shown the first plans, for a modern hospital, clean, aseptic, hard. Instead, he happily selected this mansion so that it would be a home in atmosphere, surroundings, and actuality.

"This building reveals, too, the influence of a teacher on a student, the hard electric effect a mature mind makes in contact with a mind less mature but receptive, rich, and lively. Bennie Andrews touched the life of the young man so that his inspiration always remained. It was a specific request that the building should be named, not for Hare but for Andrews. It was his hope that others would find their interest in Andrews House grow with the years. That interest was there when Brown first opened the doors of Andrews House. I hope it continues and increases."

▶ IN WORDING the plaque about Dr. Hare is felicitous: "As a student at Brown University in the days of Prof. E. Benjamin Andrews, he caught that great teacher's infectious enthusiasm; as a physician, he exhibited profound interest in the science of medicine and the art of healing; as a loyal alumnus, he gave tangible expression to his deep concern for student health and welfare in his munificent gifts for Andrews House." (see photo, page 30.)

A prayer by Dr. Arthur L. Washburn, the University Chaplain, brought the simple exercises to a close, with these words: "Almighty God, Our Heavenly Father, we here dedicate this tablet to the daily memory among us of Charles Henry Hare, and in lasting gratitude for this gift to his University of Andrews House. We pray that thy blessing may rest upon this house; that here may dwell the peace and the unfailing sense of Thy Healing Presence. Bless its officers, doctors, nurses, and patients, and all who labor for its maintenance. And grant that here may come that health and strength which are Thy will for Thy children that in well-being of soul and body they may go forth from its doors with renewed powers for the obligations and duties of their several callings. We ask this our prayer in Christ's name, and may His Grace and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit abide with us evermore."

Among those present were such friends of Dr. Hare as Dr. and Mrs. John T. Williams of Boston, George J. Holden '91, Harold A. Grout '13, representing the Brown Club of Boston, and Mrs. Grout, members of the Corporation, alumni body, student body, and staff.

*Chosen by the Cosmos Club*

▶ DR. WALDO G. LELAND '00, member of the Brown Board of Fellows and Secretary of the Council of Learned Society, is the new President of Washington's famous Cosmos Club.

## ▶ The New Trustees

▶▶ ROGER T. CLAPP '19 of Providence, George T. Metcalf '13 of Providence, retiring chairman of the Brown Alumni Fund, and John G. Peterson '17 of Minneapolis were elected Trustees of Brown University at the annual meeting of the Corporation June 14. The Providence men were elected, following nomination by alumni and alumnae in a general balloting which this year broke records in the total votes cast. The percentage of ballots returned was more than adequate to validate the nomination under terms of the agreement between the Corporation and the Associated Alumni. Clapp and Metcalf were the leading choices among seven candidates on the alumni ballot; they succeed Sidney Clifford '15 and Dr. Marshall N. Fulton '20.

The Corporation accepted the resignation of Edward A. Adams '12 of Los Angeles, because of ill health, electing Peterson in his stead. A native of Saba, Dutch West Indies, the latter prepared for Brown at Hope Street High in Providence. He was a banking official for some time, serving with the Chase National Bank of New York and making his present connection through that agency. He is now Vice-President of the Cargill Elevator Company of Minneapolis, a powerful factor in the grain world. He was an Army Lieutenant in the First World War.

The Corporation heard reports from the President and Treasurer of the University, and spokesmen for the following standing committees: Library — Dr. Albert C. Thomas '08; Management of the John Carter Brown Library—Dr. Wriston; Board of Management of the Brown



"CAMPUS BOOM" won the prize, and Phil Reisman, Jr. '40, took the how. He is editorial manager of RKO Pathe, whose documentary film in the series "This Is America" was cited by the American College Public Relations Association at its 30th anniversary dinner in St. Louis. The award was "for distinguished service in the interpretation of higher education through the the motion picture, for realistic, sympathetic presentation of the problems involved in providing higher education for the veterans of World War II and for the accurate, faithful and interesting portrayal of the post-war American campus scene."



**THE GENERAL STAFF OF THE HOUSING AND DEVELOPMENT CAMPAIGN:** As it heard the news on Commencement Day — seated, left to right, C. D. Mereer, New York; Col. G. D. Buxton, National Chairman; H. S. McLeod, R. I.; Ronald M. Kimball, Chicago. Standing, N. S. Case, Washington; H. N. Sweet, Boston; M. H. Glover, Hartford; C. S. Newhard, St. Louis.



Union—Dean Samuel T. Arnold '13; Board of Management of the Outing Reservation—W. Easton Louttit '25; Nautical Advisory Board—Mr. Clifford; Athletic Advisory Council—William P. Burnham '07.

Elections to standing committees involved the following: Committee on Investments—Arthur B. Lisle, re-elected; Advisory and Executive Committee—Rowland R. Hughes '17 of New York to succeed Mr. Clifford; Library—Chauncey E. Wheeler '09 to succeed Mr. Clifford, Prof. Robert H. George to succeed Prof. Chester H. Kirby, Faculty nomination; Advisory Committee on Pembroke College—Mrs. Charles A. Stuart '22 to succeed Miss Ollie A. Randall '12, on alumnae nomination; Committee on Consultation between the Corporation and Faculty—Prof. J. Walter Wilson '18 to succeed Prof. Walter H. Snell '13, by Faculty election; Athletic Advisory Council—W. Earl Sprackling '12 to succeed William P. Burnham '07 and Prof. Snell to succeed Prof. Robert F. Chambers.

#### ***Games in the Middle West***

► **CONTRACTS** for a home-and-home series have been signed by Brown and Western Reserve athletic authorities, looking forward to football games between the two institutions in 1948 and 1949. Western Reserve announced it as a move "into big-time football, playing Rutgers, Brown, and Pitt." "The game with Brown will be the first time an Ivy League school has played a Cleveland team," it noted.

Brown will visit Cleveland next winter, however, in basketball, as part of a projected vacation tour during which four Middle West opponents will be faced.

#### ***President of Providence Mutual***

► **PERCY W. GARDNER '03**, Providence attorney, has been elected President of the Providence Mutual Fire Insurance Company. He was formerly Vice-President and Chairman of the Finance Committee of this company, which was incorporated in 1800.

## **Baccalaureate by Washburn ◀**

► **IT WAS MORE** than a Baccalaureate Sermon which Dr. Arthur L. Washburn preached this Commencement Sunday. It was a summation of his life's creed, stated with moving conviction and simplicity on the eve of his retirement as Chaplain of Brown University.

His topic was "Incentive for Valorous Living." It was primarily of faith of which he spoke, the highest expression of existence for mankind, its greatest hope for world brotherhood even in a time of confusion and discouragement. It was secondarily a tribute of a man's tie with Brown University, for he said:

"Remember, as you go out from our gates, that you never leave Brown. You are ever of her great household and family, for we are eternally united in the common inheritance of our University's faith in God's power in His world, her faith in the high ideals which she has cherished throughout the years and now entrusts into your sacred keeping." The Seniors had first been admitted into Brown because of her faith in them. That same faith in them would accompany them as they left the known past for the unknown future. "Never," Dr. Washburn said, "can young men and young women meet such a world with more interest and self-confidence if they will accept the challenge which recognition of their own assigned place in creation can give them their place in the divine, continuous salvation of this world.

"We can be willing not to see very far ahead as we go out from this beloved place. We can be sure of the far-reaching importance of present work well done, that when we stand fast those who follow us can see more clearly and progress more confidently because of us. Practice of our faith in ever enlarging service and love of people—such a life works miracles."



## ► ► These, Their Gifts to Brown

► ► WHILE THE HOUSING AND DEVELOPMENT CAMPAIGN has held the central position in most alumni minds, the steady flow of benefactions for other Brown University purposes has continued throughout the past year. Public acknowledgment of them was made by President Henry M. Wriston when he appeared before the annual meeting of the Associated Alumni in Sayles Hall on Commencement Day. He announced gifts, apart from the Housing campaign, in the amount of \$243,201.08.

Eagerly awaited was the word on the progress of the big drive. And from National Chairman G. Edward Buxton '02 came the rousing news that gifts since the 1946 Commencement, totalling \$1,831,054, had brought the aggregate to the new high of \$2,883,078 toward the great objective. (By June 30, further gifts had brought the figure to \$2,897,452.)

In announcing the year's benefactions, President Wriston revived an old Brown custom, held in abeyance during wartime. There were gifts large and small, but many a small gift became "major" when considered in terms of individual means. As always, interest in the listing was high.

This June, as on several past occasions, the alumni were given advance proofs of pages in the ALUMNI MONTHLY which enumerated the gifts in a simple listing. Dr. Wriston called attention to some items which invited special comment, and expressed the deep gratitude of the University for each benefaction. While slighting no gift, the procedure of publishing the full list of donations served to abridge time materially and profitably in the interests of the meeting.

Singled out for special notice was the announcement of more than \$20,000 in gifts to the Brown Alumni Fund, a remarkable total in view of the fact that no active campaign had been conducted during the past year. Giving a clear field to the Housing and Development Fund Campaign, the Trustees of the Alumni Fund through Chairman George T. Metcalf '13 took satisfaction in the firmly-fixed custom of annual giving through this medium. (On June 30, this total had risen to \$23,800.)

Benefactions to the libraries included gifts of several thousand books as memorials to men whose association with University scholarship had been long and influential. There were class gifts, Brown Club scholarships, grants from foundations and corporations in support of research and other projects, — in wide variety. The generosity of many alumni and friends is here reflected in the list of major gifts, grants, and bequests to the University since July 1, 1946:

► FOR THE BROWN ALUMNI FUND, \$22,965.36 of which \$10,125 was designated for the Alumni Endowment of the Brown Alumni Fund.

For the Brown Alumnae Fund, \$13,513 of which \$2,100 was designated for the Alumnae Endowment of the Brown Alumnae Fund.

From the John Carter Brown Library Associates, \$7,132.

From John Nicholas Brown, \$2,000 for the John Carter Brown Library.

From Frederick S. Peck, \$7,152.59 for the Friends of the Library to purchase books for the John Hay Library.

From the Mary Dexter Fund and Henry S. Chafee '09, \$450 as an addition to the Chafee Memorial Fund for the libraries.

From Kenneth H. N. Newton '22, \$100 to establish the Malcolm Nichols Newton Fund, income to be used for purchase of books.

From William P. Burnham '07, \$200 for prizes to stimulate interest in writing new Brown songs and to provide orchestration or arrangements for band and orchestra use.

From Trustees of the Samuel C. and Miriam D. Lamport Foundation, \$150 for academic prizes. (Mr. Lamport's class was 1906.)

From Charles Henry Hare '85, \$7,375 as an addition to the Charles Henry Hare Fund.

From William A. Harris '97, \$274 for a moving picture projector for the Division of Athletics.

From an anonymous donor, \$5,000 for special purposes.

From anonymous donors, \$855 for beautification of grounds. This is in addition to \$15,000 given previously in the same way and for the same purpose.

From an anonymous donor, \$500 for special purposes.

### SCHOLARSHIPS and FELLOWSHIPS

► FROM EDWARD J. SOVATKIN, \$600 for the Stanley B. Sovatkin Scholarship Fund. This makes a total of \$2,500 which has been contributed by Mr. Sovatkin to establish a scholarship in memory of his son, Stanley B. Sovatkin '38, who died in service.

From the Monday Morning Musical Club, \$100 for the Helen Wheelwright Memorial Scholarship.

From the Rhode Island Women's Club, \$250 for a scholarship at Pembroke College.

From the Rhode Island State Federation of Women's Clubs, \$250 for a scholarship at Pembroke College.

From S. Watson Smith '19, \$500 for the Samuel W. Smith '80 Scholarship.

From the Brown Club of Providence, \$500 for a prize scholarship.

From a group of friends of John Gordon Ives, \$800 for the John Gordon Ives Memorial Scholarship in Pembroke College.

From the Calco Chemical Division of the American Cyanamid Company, \$1,500 for a fellowship in Chemistry.

From E. I. duPont de Nemours and Company, \$2,800 for a fellowship in Chemistry.

From the Ethyl Corporation, \$333.33 to continue the Ethyl Corporation Fellowship in Chemistry.

From the R. F. Haffenreffer Family Foundation, \$3,600 for a fellowship in the Department of Medical Sciences.

From an anonymous donor, \$10,000 for the President's Fellowship Fund.

From Brown Alumnae, \$143 as an addition to the Florence B. Beitenman Scholarship Fund.

From the Class of 1920, \$5,000 to establish the Class of 1920 Fund for general purposes.

From the Class of 1921, \$1,170 as an addition to the Class of 1921 Fund for Scholarships.

From the Brown Alumnae Club of New York, \$2,550 as an addition to the Isabelle Scott Bollard Fund for Scholarships.



## BROWN ALUMNI MONTHLY



**THE MILLIONTH PRINT:** Brown's Photographic Laboratory, microfilm specialists, passed this milestone recently. Staffers are Annette Gregoire and George C. Henderson '38

- From an anonymous donor, \$240 as an addition to the Albert A. Bennett '72 Prize Fund.
- From the Estate of Reginald S. Fife '89, \$200 as an addition to the Scholarship Repayment Fund.
- From the Central Falls High School Alumni Association, \$100 as an addition to the William Overton '87 Scholarship Fund.
- From an anonymous donor, \$500 as an addition to the A. R. C. Fund.
- From Susan B. McCoid, \$2,500 to establish the Mary Elizabeth Baldwin Scholarship Fund, and a further gift of \$100 for the 1947-48 award.
- From Mrs. Edythe Woolf Polsby, \$1,000 to establish a Fund in memory of Daniel Polsby, II '30.
- From Mrs. Claus B. Abramson, \$1,000 to establish a scholarship fund in memory of her son, Harry B. Abramson '25.
- From Arthur D. Little, Inc., \$783.33 for a fellowship in Chemistry.
- From the Rockefeller Foundation, \$5,000 for fellowships in Advanced Applied Mathematics for the year 1946-47. This is the first payment on a grant of \$50,000 for support of scholarships, assistantships, and fellowships in advanced applied mathematics over a period of five years beginning July 1, 1946.
- From the Rockefeller Foundation, \$2,900 for research in biology.
- From the American Cancer Society, \$3,249.51 for research in biology.
- From the Social Science Research Council, \$1,000 for research on the Brown Papers.
- From the Research Corporation, \$3,000 for research in chemistry.

### BEQUESTS

- FROM THE ESTATE of Joseph Zarmon Heyer '11, \$1,258.08.
- From the Estate of Jennie M. Ballou, \$5,000 to establish the Jennie M. Ballou Endowment Fund.
- From the Estate of George Marsden '00, \$2,500 to establish the George Marsden Scholarship Fund.
- From the Estate of Dennis F. O'Brien '98, \$10,000, the proceeds of a life insurance policy. This becomes a

memorial in the Alumni Endowment and is included in the Alumni Fund total reported above.

- From the Estate of Angeline E. Nichols, \$3,000 to establish the Angeline E. Nichols Scholarship Fund.
- From the Estate of Milton Korb '37, \$12,620.04 to establish the Fund in memory of Philip and Mary Moskowitz Korb, the income to be used for the purchase of books in biological sciences.
- From the Estate of Alexander G. Mercer, \$4,136.90 as an addition to the Hall-Mercer Scholarship Fund.
- From the Estate of Henry L. Goddard '88, \$12,629.13 as an addition to the Henry L. Goddard Fund for faculty salaries.
- From the Estate of Albert L. Calder, \$16,332.02 to establish the Albert L. Calder, II Fund.
- From the Estate of Burton E. Kile, \$2,218.03 as an addition to the Burton E. Kile Fund.
- From the Estate of Charles F. Deacon '96, \$63,170.76 to establish the Fund in memory of William H. and Elizabeth A. Deacon.

### OTHER GIFTS

- FROM MRS. HENRY F. LIPPITT, 128 books chiefly of the 16th and 17th centuries.
- From Gorton Thayer Lippitt, 458 miscellaneous family papers.
- From Mrs. Charles F. Stearns, 858 volumes, chiefly belles lettres and history, from Judge Stearns' library.
- From the heirs of Harry Lyman Koopman, Librarian of the University 1893-1930, his library, including manuscript writings.
- From Mrs. E. B. Delabarre, 1039 volumes from the library of Professor Delabarre, a selection from his working library in the fields of psychology, philosophy, and history of religions.
- From the library of the late Dr. Albert D. Mead, 500 books and periodicals.
- From J. Francis Driscoll, 43 old pieces of sheet music, by Oliver Shaw, Reeves, etc.
- From the Friends of the Library, 5500 books and other items.
- From the Brown Club of Providence, several gifts including \$486 toward an outdoor hockey rink at Marvel Gymnasium; and a rescue boat, valued at \$700, for the Brown Yacht Club.
- From W. L. L. Peltz, a unique stamp collection together with a gift of \$1,000 to be used for its maintenance. ◀

### *Award Withheld in Song Contest*

- THE BROWN SONG CONTEST, with \$200 in prize money, will be continued another year, with the terminal date extended until May 1, 1948, the committee in charge announced in June. Nearly 40 manuscripts have been received thus far, and the committee invites others most cordially. Some songs are under consideration for the award, but certain contest restrictions are being liberalized, particularly to permit Pembroke composers as well as Brown men to compete. Prof. Arlan R. Coolidge of the University Music Department, chairman of the committee, gratified by the response to date, expresses appreciation to all those who have thus far submitted manuscripts. Previous contestants may add to their entry with new compositions before next May. ◀

## The Big Campaign ◀

▶▶ SPURRED by the pre-Commencement drive, alumni and friends of Brown University had contributed \$2,883,078 up to June 16 when President Wriston told the annual meeting of the Associated Alumni in Sayles Hall that the year had brought in a total of \$1,831,054. Workers, who had come within striking distance of the intermediate objective of \$3,000,000 set for Commencement, now turn to their hope of completing their \$4,000,000 goal of the Housing and Development Fund in the coming academic year. New quarters in Robinson Hall, the old Economics Building at the corner of Prospect and Waterman Sts., have been established for the balance of the campaign.

To see what can be done on the campus when the final amount is pledged and given, Dr. Wriston urged the alumni to visit Whitehall, the new classroom building on Brook St., and Andrews Hall, the new Pembroke dormitory which is scheduled for occupancy next term.

Should there be discouragement because the Campaign failed to reach its \$3,000,000 objective at Commencement? By no means, President Wriston told the Corporation at its annual meeting: "No one in his right mind expected the task to be easy. It has always been hard. Moreover there is a bright side to the shield: we have done better than most campaigns—far better. We are nearer our goal at this moment than the community expected us to be."

We have had large gifts which had not been counted upon."

The great need of the Campaign at this juncture is for more workers, he said, recognizing that many have worked "with heart and soul." "The cause is right," he concluded. "By persistence and courage we shall succeed."

The Corporation passed a resolution expressing deep appreciation of the leadership and achievements of Col. G. Edward Buxton as National Chairman of the drive.

During May and June five issues of *The Home Stretch* provided a stimulus to giving with articles on memorial opportunities still available, on the necessity of housing facilities to meet the great need, the lack of dining facilities, the support Brown seeks from the community in return for many services of significance, and classroom and faculty accommodation. An estimate showed that 800 Brown students are without regular eating facilities, that only a fraction of housing needs are met in spite of congestion and emergency measures that added dormitory space for 400 more than the 900 previously used. Box features described other "turning points" which had confronted the University in the past, where decisions had led to progress of historic importance.

In a May message to his Campaign army, Col. Buxton had, as always, a striking punch-line: "To those who are firmly determined to win this struggle for the benefit of another generation, we say to the bystander, 'Give way to the right and let fighting men pass.'"



**WINNERS OF THE BEAR:** Burnham, left, and Milner received this high alumni distinction at the Marvel Gym dinner June 15. Presentation was made by H. Stanton Smith '21, Alumni Vice-President, at right. Citations appear below:

▶ **LEWIS STANLEY MILNER (1902):** The promotion of the welfare of your Alma Mater has ever been of major concern to you. Your high sense of loyalty and your unusual capacity for generosity and kindness have enabled you to discharge "the offices of Life with usefulness and reputation." As a public-spirited citizen and loyal friend, having many talents and interests, you have made a lasting impress on both the Community and the University. Your excellent services to Brown have contributed much to the establishment of proper public relations and to a better understanding of the University's aims and problems. Your time, energy, and means have been employed generously and unselfishly in the cause of Brown. In appreciation of your splendid service we do you honor and present you an Alumni Brown Bear award.

▶ **WILLIAM PHINEAS BURNHAM (1907):** With loyalty and great devotion you have

given generously of your time and means in the service of Brown. Your infectious enthusiasm and inspiring leadership compel others to participate in the enjoyment of such service. Wherever Brown men gather your presence is a magnet drawing them closer in affection to their Alma Mater. In the true spirit of Brown University you have served your community and country with honor and distinction. In recognition of your conspicuous services to Brown we are happy to present you an Alumni Brown Bear award, symbolic of the strength and enduring greatness of the Brown you so dearly love.

### A Holiday Until Sept. 24

Brown's 184th academic year will begin for Freshmen Sept. 15. After registration for all undergraduates Sept. 17-23, classes will start Sept. 24. There is no summer session.

## ▶ The Marchers

▶▶ THERE WERE THOSE who said it was the longest Commencement procession ever. And probably they were right. But, unfortunately, no one ever counts the number of those in line, and this year a slight change in routing of the march made it hard to make comparisons.

Formed again on the College Green, after last year's temporary shift to the Front Campus, the line moved out to the south, countermarched back past the John Carter Brown and Sayles, swung out through Faunce House archway to Waterman St., returned past the Pump and Hope College, and on between U. H. and Manning to the Van Wickle Gates. As tradition commands, the gates swung out. The key had not been lost, although such a contretemps had provided the plot for the 1947 Brownbrokers musical revue.

Arthur B. Homer '17, President of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation, was Chief Marshal of the procession, on his 30th anniversary at Brown. Again, however, the man behind the scenes, the Chief of Staff, J. Cunliffe Bullock '02 arranged the surprising amount of detail-work that goes into this simple, sentimental ceremony. It was not only the march down this year, but the march-back took on much more importance since it led to the further exercises on the College Green.

Following Paul A. Nickel, Senior class marshal, came alumni by the hundred, escorting the graduating men and women. And finally, at the end of the long double file came the Seniors, Faculty, guests of honor, members of the Corporation, Chancellor Sharpe, President Wriston, Mace-Bearer George E. Downing, and Michael F. Costello '05, high sheriff of Providence County, accoutred with the topper, sash, sword, and full evening dress so necessary for the preservation of decorum.



▶ ASSISTING the Chief Marshal were his aides: Dr. Robert Cushman Murphy '11, Harry H. Burton '16, H. Stanford McLeod '16, Frederick E. Schoeneweiss '20, W. Wilbur Rice '16, Dennison W. Green '24, Kent F. Matteson '28, and Thomas F. Gilbane '33. Aides in charge of divisions: H. Stanton Smith '21, Arnold K. Brown '27, Brenton G. Smith '11, and Henry G. Clark '07. Other aides: Mrs. Barbara A. Bliss '40, Prof. C. Raymond Adams '18, Prof. Sinclair W. Armstrong.

Marshals included: James O. Starkweather '45, Ivory Littlefield, Jr., '46, Joseph F. Lockett, Jr., '42, William C. Giles, Jr., '42, Graham W. White '37, Jackson H. Skillings '37, Alan P. Cusick '32, Richard A. Hurley, Jr., '32, John E. C. Hall '27, Samuel J. McCormick '27, Edward W. Day '22, Stuart H. Tucker '22, Earl M. Pearce '17, William B. Farnsworth '17, Kip I. Chace '12, Ernest I. Kilcup '12, Roswell F. Brooks, Jr., '07, Homer W. Clark '07, Lewis S. Milner '02, Everett J. Horton '02, George L. Miner '97, Arthur M. McCrillis '97, Harvey A. Baker '03, Dr. Albert L. Midgeley '01, Albert A. Baker '84, Prof. Albert K. Potter '86, Prof. Herbert N. Couch, Prof. Robert H. George. For the graduating men of 1948: William B. Fernald, Michael A. Gammino, Jr., William J. Harrington, John F. Heinz, M. Jack Levy, Jr., Richard M. Morris, John P. Sweeney, and Roy H. Swinger; for 1947 men: George W. Grimshaw, Ray G. Huling, and James Lalikos; Pembroke Seniors: June P. Miller '47 and Eleanor S. Nadler '47.

Three bands, more than ever before, played the familiar ceremonious strains of Wally Reeves' Brown Commencement March.

## "The Best Year of All" ◀ ◀

▶▶ "RECOGNIZING all the griefs and shortcomings, I think this is the best college year I have known since I began to teach 35 years ago," President Wriston told the Corporation in his annual report, which marked his 10th year at Brown. It was a theme on which he expanded at the Senior Dinner as well. "The students were here by their own choice; by and large they studied harder than usual."

He singled the Veterans College out for praise: "It has outrun every expectation, in size, in quality, orderliness, and temper. It has attracted wide attention as a dramatic and effective way to meet the social responsibilities of a university in a metropolitan center without sacrificing standards or indulging in shoddy pretense. Nearly a third of the members of the Veterans College did work of such quality that out of a mere fairness we transferred them to the regular college program at mid-year. Some others will be transferred at the end of this year. (More than 100, as it proved, in addition to 139 at the end of the previous semester.—Ed.) Thus those who expected to be held in an indetermined status for two years have by the quality of their work forced our hand."

Dr. Wriston also commented in his report on the expansion of alumni work: "More time, money, and effort have been devoted to alumni work than ever before in our history," he said. "I have been attending alumni meetings for over 25 years. Never in my experience have there been so many evidences of genuine interest in our educational program as this year."

At the Senior Dinner, the President repeated his statement that this had been his best year in 35. Although it was the most incoherent student body he'd ever known and college spirit was "at a low ebb," phenomena due to war dislocations, all undergraduates were here of their own volition, "eager, clamoring to get here." Moreover, the burden was off the Faculty in many respects, and men were teaching their own subjects again and returned to research they'd laid aside for war assignment. They were back to teach "with sincerity, enthusiasm, and reality." They were feeling the squeeze from inflation but were patient and courageous in the face of declining endowment income. For all, there was crowding and housing complication. The campaign was hard work, at a time when eight billion dollars was being sought for colleges, churches, and hospitals in the country.

Yet, he said deliberately it was a wonderful year—even in the face of world tragedy, a peace thrown away, and the cost of unemployment relief higher than it had been at the depths of the depression, moral recession after the war, political grafting, and great fatigue. "But we haven't yielded. Don't take the world at its face value, keep a fresh outlook, hold to your sanity, courage, and faith. And, if in living with yourself you can find peace, then education is justified. If I had my life to live over, I'd again ask to live on a college campus with those who, for all their faults, are the best students in the world."

### Chaplain's "Last Chapel"

▶▶ IT WAS NOT Dr. Washburn's "last chapel," Dean Arnold pointed out, because he would return again and again to speak to the students at Brown. But it did invite a few recollections of the retiring Chaplain of the University.

Dean Arnold thought of him in six connections:

"1. The night before my wedding when a student stole his doormat, and he reported the fact."

"2. His request for a seat in chapel (I've had few such requests for reservations) For 15 or 20 years he attended chapel regularly and sat in seat N-26.

"3. As pastor, friend, and teacher of ethics. After helping the students with their Italian, he came to the decision he would rather be their Chaplain than educate them.

"4. The services he conducted in fraternity houses during the war when a member was reported dead in combat or other military service.

"5. In Andrews House, a friend to all there. He was at his best as comforter and companion on an ambulance ride, and in meeting parents of students in the Infirmary.

"6. I met him once in Siena. I urge you to look him up if you are ever there."

The informal tribute in Sayles Hall at the last Chapel of the year was serious but with an over-layer of banter. But the undergraduates knew the sentiment which prompted the appreciation, and shared it. They stood to applaud the Chaplain as few have been applauded in that hall which is accustomed to applause. His "God Bless You" was a benediction they will treasure.



THE PRESIDENT'S CAKE: Chairman Quinn applauds, and Charles P. Sisson returns to his seat after making the surprise presentation at the Alumni Dinner. (See page 4.)



## On G. E. Rolls

►► REPUTEDLY the largest employers of college-trained men in industry, the General Electric Company lists 69 Brown alumni on its rolls, perhaps the largest contingent of Brunonians in any single corporation. Only the University itself would seem to rival it in Brown personnel. It is of note that, while the majority are engineering graduates, a considerable number hold liberal arts degrees.

The following list was provided the Brown Placement Office by George Campbell '07, who came to the campus in April for personnel interviews with Seniors:

River works: C. H. Douglass '05, W. C. Norton '10, V. W. Leonard '16, M. G. Robinson '19, K. A. Bjorklund '21, A. D. Somes '22, E. B. Armour '26, R. E. Arnold '29, B. A. Robbins '40, Schenectady works: T. W. Gordon '06, R. B. Quimby '16, D. B. Murphy '21, F. L. Miller, Jr., '36. Buffalo office: George Campbell '07, manager. West Lynn works: H. B. Hunt '08, G. R. Sturtevant '18, J. R. Stetson '30, B. B. Hardy '40. G. E. Supply Corp.: E. M. Horton '11, F. L. Pierce '26. Central Station, GO, West Lynn: W. M. Howe '13. Apl. & Mds., Bridgeport: G. S. Goodspeed '14, H. R. Smith '30. Pittsfield works: F. E. Eck '19, W. S. Fielding '27, F. S. Broadbent '32, W. J. Degman '42, G. A. Stuckert, Jr., '42. Lamp, Providence: E. H. Tucker '20, A. P. Brugge '31. Lamp, Warren, Ohio: A. D. Dixon '34. Philadelphia office: H. D. Moore '24. Mfg. Genl GO: C. S. Stedman, Jr., '24. Hot Point, Inc.: C. E. Reed '26. Locke Insulator Corp.: E. H. Hodson '29. Providence office: J. P. Patton '34. Electronics, Bridgeport: V. Vernon, Jr., '34, H. Van Aken, Jr., '36, R. M. Gear '44. Bridgeport works: P. L. Paulsen '35. Electronics, Syracuse: H. Fancher '35; electronics, Ken. Rad: A. W. McCabe '35. Accounting, GO: L. Drury '36, P. B. Hawkes '41. IGE Co.: R. C. Fallon '36. Federal and Marine GO: R. E. Anderson '37. Hanford Eng. works: H. L. Henry, Jr., '37. AC & CR Dept.: R. Barker '38. Industrial Eng., GO: D. W. Borst '40, R. R. Person '41. Service Eng. GO: D. L. Hall '40. Philadelphia works: F. J. Moury '40. Patent GO: G. E. Sands '40. Test: T. H. Davenport '43, L. T. Lubin '43, W. S. Montgomery '43, H. M. Steiner '43, G. L. Heitman '45, J. M. Brown '45, J. L. Randall '45, H. E. Rudman '45, K. D. Tobin '45, R. J. Tracy '45, R. W. Whipple '46, J. A. Nelson '46, E. A. Coker '46. Rotating Eng.: T. D. McKone '43. Telechron, Inc.: G. L. DeWolf '43. Aero and Marine: H. W. Taylor '43.

## Better Than a Carnation

► HERE'S A NEW use for the BROWN ALUMNI MONTHLY:

When the editor visited Poughkeepsie May 15 to attend the first meeting of the new Mid-Hudson Brown Club, he stepped off the train and was preparing to find his way to the meeting place. At the principal exit from the waiting room of the station stood a man with a BROWN ALUMNI MONTHLY under his arm.

President Wm. Howard Young '16 had hit upon this effective device of identifying himself to the newcomer.

## ► ► Rolcall of Brown Clubs



NEW YORK CHOSE Robert C. Litchfield '23 to be President of its Brown University Club next year.

## In Western Maine

►► CHARLES C. CHESLEY '25 is the new President of the Brown Club of Western Maine, elected at the annual meeting April 21 in Portland's Graymore Hotel. Other officers voted at the dinner are: Vice-President Albert H. Halberstadt '34, Secretary Robert F. Skillings '11, and Treasurer Dr. Thomas J. Burrage '98; Executive committee: Percy W. Sarle '16, E. C. Coughlin, Jr., '42, and Henry D. Burrage '33.

Mr. Skillings, veteran secretary of the club, presided. Dr. M. Joseph Twomey '00 spoke in eulogy of Dr. Albert H. Stanton '04, who died last October while serving as club President. Mr. Skillings called on the following to speak informally, telling how they came to be in Maine: A. Thomas Scott '28, Edward Heintz '38, assistant librarian at Bowdoin, Frederick Bloom '40, and Halberstadt. Rev. Charles R. Upton '84, senior alumnus present, also greeted the diners.

Guest of honor was the Alumni Executive Officer, William B. McCormick '23, who brought the 25 men up to date on College Hill happenings. As usual, the meeting had good publicity, and Newton C. Reed '03 again brought in the slate of nominations, on behalf of Robert J. Curley '07, Mr. Sarle, and himself.

Others who took part in the program were Saul H. Sheriff '36, Harold K. Halpert '28, R. W. Sarle '44, A. M. Dodge '19, Karl D. Patterson '38.

The club can always be counted on for a good turnout and a fine spirit.

## Heading It Up Pittsburgh

► ROBERT B. CLARK '39 is at the helm in Pittsburgh for the next year as president of the Brown Club of Western Pennsylvania. Serving with him are Vice-President Irving S. Pascal '34, Treasurer Harry K. Voelp, Jr., '29, and Secretary Gordon Ritchie, Jr., '24. All were chosen at the recent annual meeting of the club.

## Brown at the Pops

►► BROWN NIGHT at the Boston Pops was a gala affair and no mistake. The problem was to get tickets, with a sell-out so early contrived. Those who were lucky found it a fine musical evening, with partisan appreciation of the Brown and Pembroke Glee Clubs and a rousing, roof-raising reception of the new Anderson arrangement of songs of Brown, "Brunonian." Invited by the program and by Pops Conductor, Arthur Fiedler, the audience joined in singing the familiar songs.

The Glee Clubs, conducted by Prof. Edward B. Greene, sang superbly, both as individual units and as one chorus. Their numbers included: Brahms, "Chorus of Homage" and "The Trysting Place"; three folk songs from "Choralia," arranged by Delaney; some Davison arrangements: "At Father's Door," "Fireflies," and "Soon Ah Will Be Done"; the finale from "The Gondoliers," and "Alma Mater." The new medley is a highly effective provision for "When Brunonia's Big Brown Team," "I'm a Brown Man Born," "We Are Ever True to Brown," "Chapel Steps," and The Commencement March, the last a surprising but appropriate choice for the climax.

Incidentally, the evening made a great New England reunion. The committee under Homer W. Clark '07 deserves a world of credit. Plans are already under way to bid for a 1948 date.

## The Washington Brown Club

► IN SUPPORT of a more active Brown Club program in Washington, D. C., more than 50 Brown men came to the National Press Club for a buffet supper and a welcome to Dean Samuel T. Arnold '13 on June 25. Win Southworth, Jim Bennett, and Paul Harrison were the moving spirits in setting up the meeting, while Warren Francis, as new president of the National Press Club, saw to it that the alumni had the best of accommodation. The gathering was notable for the large number of younger Brown men who attended, including delegations from the State Department, the Naval Research Laboratory, and the Bureau of the Budget.

In addition to those previously mentioned, the Club also heard from former Congressman John O'Connor and John French, the latter for advice on the constitutionality of certain club procedures. Mr. Bennett reported on the Housing and Development Campaign on behalf of Regional Vice-Chairman Norman Case and received active support. The Club plans a full schedule of events for next year.

## Glee Club in Albany

► WHEN THE BROWN CLUB of Northeastern New York presented the Varsity Glee Club in its April 11th concert, the following served as committee on arrangements: Whitney E. Easton, president; Richard S. Walter, chairman; and S. Vint Van Derzee, Walter S. Stedman, E. V. Mullen-neaux, Jr., Harry W. Hastings, E. Howard Hunt, Jr., J. Gordon Baxter, Robert Forster, David W. Borst, and Henry N. Longergan.

Among those present was Albert H. Halberstadt '34, who flew over from Portland, Me., for the concert in Chancellors Hall and the dance at the Hotel Ten Eyck.

## BROWN ALUMNI MONTHLY

### *The 51st, Poughkeepsie*

►► THE MID-HUDSON Brown Club became the 51st Brown Club May 15 when W. C. Worthington '23, editor-manager of the ALUMNI MONTHLY, visited Poughkeepsie. A strong group had met informally earlier in the year and voted to organize. Twenty-five charter members dined at the Smith Brothers Restaurant and revived their Brown memories while hearing further of the campus of today. Salutations came from the New York Brown Club and North Shore (Mass.) Club, holding their annual meetings the same night.

A strong slate of officers includes: W. Howard Young '16, President; Raymond Crum '15, Vice-President; Joseph W. Emmsley '24, Secretary-Treasurer. A committee consisting of Harold I. Long '16, Benson R. Frost, Jr., '41, and Robert Golrick '47 was appointed to arrange the fall meeting, while Louis C. Sigloch '40 and H. Wilson Guernsey '43 will be in charge of a Mid-Hudson trip to the Brown-Yale football game.

Others present were: Homer W. Guernsey '06, Leon F. Clark '10, Henry M. Burke '11, George T. Welch '19, J. Schuyler Fox '94, Robert Closs '41, Erskine M. Perry '26, Henry F. Drake '15, Mark A. Golrick, Jr., '19, Everett L. Sweet '21, C. Carlton Parker '13, Louis Booth '05, Chester H. Golding, Jr., '39, Benson R. Frost '08. There were greetings from Carl F. Olson '46, Jack Podret '39, W. Irving Tragle '40, Frederic H. Bontecou '17, Harold Grindle '21, Louis Sweeney '15, Burt Titus '38, and W. W. Burbank '37, while a dozen others plan to affiliate in future.

Among the towns covered are Poughkeepsie, Wappingers Falls, Rhinebeck, Clinton Corners, Rhinecliff, Lake Mohonk, Pleasant Valley, Milbrook. The exact territory which the lively new group will regard as its sphere of influence is being worked out in co-operation with neighboring clubs and the Alumni Office.

### *In the Merrimack Valley*

► A PLEASURABLE and inspiring evening was in store for members of the Merrimack Valley Brown Club when it held its annual meeting in the Peabody House of Phillips Academy, Andover, in May. Guests from the University who were the chief speakers were Dean Samuel T. Arnold, Alumni Executive Officer William B. McCormick, and Athletic Director Paul F. Mackesey.

Frederick M. Boyce '09 of Andover was elected President for next season, with the following aides: Vice-President—Howard D. Smith of Chelmsford; Secretary-Treasurer—James S. Eastham of Andover; Executive Board—Rufus E. Corlew of Haverhill, Thomas R. Hadfield of Methuen, Rev. Herman L. Noyes of Lawrence, Everett G. Perkins of Newburyport, and Paul J. Spencer of Lowell.

Others present, with a score of guests from the student body and Faculty of the Academy, included: Garland B. Russell, Gerald F. Donohue, Abraham J. Meister, James Cantor, Norman L. Duncan, Francis J. Biery, Weston D. Eastman, Kenneth S. Minard, Rev. Byron O. Waterman, Charles R. Iovino, Thomas P. Rockwell, Frederic R. Knipe, George W. Langdon, Jr., Paul Kessler, and Ned L. Brody.

### *New York's New Slate*

► ROBERT C. LITCHFIELD '23 is the new President of the Brown University Club in New York, elevated at the annual dinner meeting in the Landon room of the club-

house at 39 East 39th St. The other officers are: Vice-President—Frederick H. Rohlf's '26; Treasurer—Everett M. Arnold '21; Secretary—William C. Perrin '36. New members of the Board are: Gerald Donovan '12, Wayne M. Faunce '21, C. Douglas Mercer '06, Arthur W. Packard '25, Ralph M. Palmer '10, Allen B. Sikes '23, Clifford P. Ladd '18, and Paul D. O'Brien '27.

Planning for the new year is under way this summer.

### *Two for the Engineers*

► A WEEK APART, two successful meetings of the Brown Engineering Association kept the ball rolling in that lively professional component of the Associated Alumni.

In New York on May 16, 35 members heard Joseph L. Richey of the American Telephone and Telegraph Co. give a lecture demonstration of microwaves and their possible applications to radio and television. Henry Hallborg '07, President of the Association, was chairman, with his fellow officers Sidney Wilmot and A. M. Impagliazzo with him at the head table. William A. Jewett '41, University Placement Director, described the work of this active bureau and told how the new placement committee of the Engineering Association could operate in conjunction with it. J. T. Connelly, the chairman of the Engineers' committee, missed the meeting, excusably because of commitments as a new father.

The following Friday night saw 75 Engineers enjoying a lobster dinner at the Providence Spring Meeting, held at the



AS AN UNDERGRADUATE Thomas F. Gilbane '33 was a champion shotputter and All-East football center. He is the next chairman of Brown's important Athletic Advisory Council.

Rhode Island Yacht Club. Prof. Leighton T. Bohl presided, with informal remarks from Prof. Zenas Bliss, in charge of arrangements, Benjamin Graves '07 of Providence, W. C. Worthington '23 and Stephen A. McClellan '23 of New York. These Spring meetings are noted for their lack of set program, their good humor, and their spirited discussions. Newcomers to the Faculty were introduced.

### *Providence Raises Riker*

►► THE ANNUAL DINNER and meeting of the Providence Brown Club, held at the Wannamoisett Country Club May 22, ended perhaps the most active and productive year in the history of the alumni group. It marked the retirement of H. Stanton Smith '21 as President, with J. Wilbur Riker '22, long a leader in the club succeeding him in office.

The slate headed by Mr. Riker follows: Vice-President—Mason L. Dunn '35; Treasurer—E. John Lownes, Jr., '23; Secretary—Arthur H. Feiner '22; Executive Committee—Vernon Alden '45, Richard A. Batchelder '35, William T. Brightman, Jr., '21, Robert W. Brokaw '38, Joseph E. Buonanno '34, Kip I. Chace '12, Foster N. Davis, Jr., '39, Shirley L. Elsbree '25, J. Richmond Fales '10, Thomas F. Gilbane '33, Paul F. Gleeson '32, Albert F. Goff '24, Frederick L. Harson '31, Stanley Henshaw, Jr., '35, Stanley F. Mathes '39, Lewis S. Milner '02, Ambrose J. Murray '26, H. Stanton Smith '21, Henry D. Sharpe, Jr., '45, and W. C. Worthington '23.

Other speakers at the annual dinner were Dean Robert W. Kenny and Prof. W. E. S. Moulton. The athletic coaches were included in the dinner company, with the new basketball coach, Bob Morris, representing them at the head table.

The President-elect said the Club had only one axe to grind—support of Brown University. It believed in being a good rooster, in telling the public about the good things on College Hill, and in building morale through help and recognition. A brochure reporting on the year's activities recorded their extent and quality, as previously noted in these pages.

### *Planning Time in Chicago*

► NEW OFFICERS of the Chicago Brown Club are planning next year's program during the summer months under the leadership of Homer R. Faulkner '23, President. Installed with him at the annual meeting March 27 during the Continental Hotel banquet were Vice-President—James R. Bremner '34; Treasurer—George Rich III '44; and Secretary—Frederick P. Bassett, Jr., '33. Among the projects are the issuing of the Club's first postwar directory and resumption of the famous and useful periodical *Brown Derby*, published "at very odd intervals" but setting a high standard for such "house organs."

### *Invitation from Canton*

► IT WAS THE first real post-war get-together for all Brown men in Northern Ohio, and the turnout at the Congress Lake Country Club April 30 was fine. Within easy access of Canton, Akron, Youngstown, and Cleveland, the meeting drew good delegations from each center. There was golf, bridge, and general sociability, and at dinnertime Athletic Director Paul Mackesey brought reports fresh from the Hill. The committee on arrangements was Hal Broda, Lefty Ostergard, and Sammy Dreyer, for the sponsoring Brown Club of Canton.





### A Money-Raising Idea

▶ SEEKING TO BOLSTER its scholarship fund, the North Shore Brown Club in Massachusetts hit upon a novel and effective scheme. It sponsored a series of six motion picture programs, shown exclusively for children, at the Warwick Theatre in Marblehead. Films were selected with the young audience in mind, with educational purposes stressed as well as entertainment. The profits were \$250 for the club.

Elmer P. Wright, president of the North Shore Club, writes that the executive committee hopes to introduce similar movie programs for children in one or two other communities in the territory, next year. ◀

### Hartford Picks Henshaw

▶ WALLACE H. HENSHAW '23 was elected President of the Hartford Brown Club at its annual meeting May 22, succeeding Robert Allison '29, who has done an outstanding job for the past two years. Other officers chosen were: Vice-President—Richard P. Eldridge '31; Secretary—Cyrus G. Flanders '18; Treasurer—Marion B. Denison '83; Assistant Treasurer—Rev. Edwin H. Tuller '35. The nominating committee: Past President Paul Monahan '31, chairman, Jesse Bailey '16, and Flanders.

Athletic Director Paul Mackesey spoke in straightforward manner about the problems faced in his field. He gave great tribute to Wally Snell and might have given himself credit for his own good work. The group liked him immensely and feels Brown's athletic program for the future is in excellent hands.

William B. McCormick '23, Alumni Executive Officer, sold the Alumni Reorganization Plan lock, stock and barrel. It was most gratifying to hear the lively participation, evidence of a lively interest in Brown here in Hartford.

Those who attended included: Bill Bieluch '39, Ray Gallant '15, Dan Howard '93, Arnold MacDonald '39, Walter Rolland '22, Larry Smith '20, Stuart Tinkham '23, Ken Wright '38, Jarvis Alger '43, John Balmer '34, Dick Brainard '46, Bob John-

**"THE REUNION OF REUNIONS" in Marvel Gymnasium the night before Commencement. The photograph taken from the running track shows much of the crowd of more than 600 diners.**

son '37, Andy Jack '36, Bob Klie '44, Bert Howard '28, Constant Kulig '45, Frank Jones '97, Joe Lombardo '43, Fred Lougee '21, Abner Newton '23, Joe Stookins '34, Avery Tanner '43, and Don Tanner '35. ◀

### Mackesey in Philly

▶ PHILADELPHIA WELCOMED Athletic Director Paul Mackesey to its May 13 luncheon at the University Club, with a score of alumni getting his good story on Brown athletics. Everyone was most favorably impressed with the new director.

Among those present were: Dr. M. P. Margolies '36, and his father, Dr. Richard Margolies, J. Harold Wilson '25, E. Arthur Parker '13, Frank J. Watson, Jr., '36, York A. King, Jr., '34 (who presided), Karl E. Stein '30, Manuel E. Pearson '32, H. H. Mohrfeld '33, H. M. Mohrfeld '26, Richards J. Conly '25, Emory S. Kates '25, Morton J. Simon '32, Charles C. Myers '25, Seth H. Mitchell '15, Harry Leighton '03, J. M. Gicker '33, and R. O. Brackett '16. C.C.M.

### Plainfield Aids the Plan

▶ IMPETUS was given to the new alumni organization plan, proposed by Dr. M. L. Crossley, by a gathering of 39 Brown men of North Central New Jersey on May 8th at the Park Hotel, Plainfield, N. J. A dinner preceded the meeting which was sponsored by the Plainfield Area Section of Brown Alumni, organized in October, 1946, and the officers of which are Edwin B. Havens '28, president, E. Bruce Wetzel '29, treasurer and Joseph K. Burwell '13, secretary. The meeting was arranged by those officers and Stanley M. Banfield '13 and Alexander Logan '42.

The purpose of the meeting was to create interest in and give information about the new alumni organization plan so that the various proposed sections and groups represented can proceed with their organization. The area covered was a radius of about 20 miles of Plainfield and representatives attended from Plainfield, Maplewood, West Orange, Metuchen, Irvington, East

Orange, Westfield, Rahway, Newark, Caldwell, Orange, West Caldwell, Bloomfield, Verona, Morristown, Millburn, Somerville, South Plainfield and Arlington.

Guests were Dr. Bruce M. Bigelow, Vice-President of Brown University, Dr. M. L. Crossley, President of the Associated Alumni and Paul Mackesey, Director of Athletics. Harold W. Lord, President of the Northern New Jersey Brown Club, was unable to be present for business reasons on account of the telephone strike.

Dr. Crossley explained the new alumni organization plan and urged the various sections and groups to organize so that Brown can have an active alumni organization started this year. ◀

### Fete for Fay

▶ EDWARD M. FAY, Providence theatre man and former orchestra leader, is well known to many a Brown alumnus. He marked his 50th anniversary in the entertainment business April 21 with many a notable singing his praises at a testimonial dinner, sponsored by the Independent Exhibitors of Rhode Island.

State and city officials were speakers, together with presidents and vice-presidents of most of the major film production companies, and Basil O'Connor, chairman of the American Red Cross and president of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. Prof. Ben W. Brown '19 was spokesman for the University, while Judge Ira Lloyd Letts '13 was toastmaster.

A special train brought the moving picture officials from New York to join the 600 other diners. ◀

### Anyone Find a Watch?

▶ SOMEWHERE between the grounds of the First Baptist Meeting House and the Brown campus, Florica H. Cicma of 63 Angell St., Providence, lost a highly valued lapel watch on Commencement Day. Two leaves attached to the sides give a winged effect. A liberal reward is offered, including repayment of any costs involved in the return. As a family present, the watch has great sentimental associations. ◀



# For Brown Bookshelves ◀ ◀

## "Alexander the Great"

▶ ▶ NO NEW HERO is being introduced to what will be a large audience for "Alexander the Great," a splendid new biography by Prof. Charles Alexander Robinson, Jr., of Brown University's Classics Department. No new wonder is expressed at the fabulous adventure of world conquest and world organization, for all the fresh excitement that the reader shares in the exploit. But, with no comparable work in the field for 50 years by an American author, there is a new perspective which would be sufficient justification in itself, apart from all other merits — which are many.

One of Prof. Robinson's major purposes in writing this delightful book is to bring to the reputation of Alexander full credit for a revolutionary concept — the idea of the brotherhood of man under the fatherhood of God, the idea of the citizenship all men could achieve in common in a single world. Without over-emphasis, the presentation of this thesis is convincing, and illustrative evidence is abundant.

It is ambitious, of course, to try to read the mind of a man who lived so fully so long ago. But the record is there, and Prof. Robinson is familiar with it, as his previously published studies attest. He is known to be the foremost authority on Alexander in America—Prof. John Spaeth of Wesleyan so speaks of him, for one. And here is the synthesis of his earlier inquiry, weighing of conflicting testimony, and his resolved thought. He gives a plausibility and consistency to a life always recognized as great (as the familiar form of Alexander's name shows). But it has been a life of such extraordinary scope and variety that heretofore it has somehow been hard to comprehend, hard to remove from romancing.

Like most readers, this one is without scholarly background on which to draw. But as a reader he has had deep pleasure from this book, from its straightforward, swift narrative in a setting and time made real. A leader, younger than some of our Brown undergraduates today, becomes a figure of immense attraction in a yarn of action, peril, and success. Prof. Robinson's students and friends know him to be a man of large enthusiasms, which others catch from him. The reader comes upon that same sense of delight and inspiration on most readable pages. It is a charming and provocative book, commended for all.

In 1948 Prof. Robinson returns to Athens as Annual Professor at the American School of Classical Studies, where he, a Prix de Rome winner, studied for two years and later taught as Visiting Professor. He is a Fellow of the American Numismatic Society, whose members, limited to 150 persons in the world, own the greatest of coin collections in this hemisphere. Under his leadership, the Amateurs of Ancient Greece have had amazing vitality and following.

Incidentally, most of the administration of the Athens School is concentrated at Brown. Prof. Robinson is one of those in charge of policy. A Brown graduate is paying for the School's excavations in the Athenian Agora, the greatest project of its kind in history, in which Prof. Robinson has participated. Until this winter he has been chairman of the Alumni Association of the School and had so served since its founding. He is one of two persons responsible for the operations under a \$100,000



ROBERT CUSHMAN MURPHY  
'11: Grace notes in a logbook.

budget, including a publication of \$30,000 worth of books annually but apart from the \$75,000 spent each year on the Agora exploration. All members of the Classics Department at Brown, however, participate actively in the councils of the school, and one carries out virtually all of the routine work connected with it. William T. Aldrich '00 is architect of the new Agora Museum. Former students elsewhere enhance the prestige of this strong Brown Department in the eyes of the scholarly world. Some day this magazine hopes to tell that whole story.

The purpose of this notice, however, is to call attention to a new work of importance and general interest, commended even for summer reading, without reservation. (The publisher is Dutton; the price \$3.75; and, quite apart from its content, the book is happily designed and well made. It was on sale in Providence a week before its national distribution.)

## Brunonians With Eastman

▶ THE EASTMAN KODAK Company of Rochester, N. Y., reports the following Brown men working for them, all products of the Graduate School: Fred Holland, Master of Science in Physics in 1943, Woodrow Johnson, Doctor of Philosophy in Physics in 1941, T. Doman Roberts, Master of Science in Physics in 1946, and Andrew Whitehead, Master of Science in Chemistry in 1943.

## Their Cheering Section

▶ DEAN SAMUEL T. ARNOLD encountered something new when he attended the dinner which the wrestling squad arranged in compliment to its popular coach, Ralph Anderton '30. When the Dean arrived, he was a little surprised to find some attractive young girls among the diners.

"Who are they?" he asked when he had a chance to put the question to one of the varsity men.

"Oh," said the latter, "they are the wives of the wrestlers."

## "The Island War"

BY DEAN ROBERT W. KENNY '24

▶ ▶ FRANK HOUGH of the Class of 1924 has spent a large part of his life either fighting or writing about wars. When he appeared on the Brown campus in the fall of 1920, Frank had behind him some very rough months of fighting with the Marine Brigade in France from which he emerged the youngest sergeant in the Corps. Dropping his .03 Springfield in favor of the pen, he turned out short stories for Case-ments and at least one original play which was produced by Sock and Buskin on the rickety stage of Rockefeller Hall, Faunce House, to you young chaps. It is rumored that he had a hand in the script of the last and most famous of the St. Patrick's Day Minstrels of yesteryear. Since graduation, Frank has been a free lance writer and has to his credit three novels of the American Revolution; *Renown*, *If Not Victory*, and *The Neutral Ground*, the latter a national best seller.

To the chagrin of his publishers, Frank could not remain in his ivory tower writing about past wars when his old outfit was heavily committed in World War II. He started this tour of duty as a captain and ended as Major Hough. Out of his year and a half overseas with the First Marine Division, and many months of pouring over historical records section of the Marine Corps archives in Washington, Frank has written *The Island War: The United States Marine Corps in the Pacific*.

*The Island War* is not the official history of the Corps; that will be years in the making, but it is an accurate, vivid, fair, and handsomely illustrated account of the grim battles which have become bywords of our military history. Individual exploits, commonly called Joe Blow stories, have no part in this book, unless the heroic act had definite bearing upon the tactical situation. What is here in abundance is the history of units as they fought at Guadalcanal, Tinian, Saipan, Guam, Peleliu, Iwo Jima, and Okinawa. How these bloody actions fitted into the large strategic picture, and how the marines adapted their tactics to cope with the Jap in the jungle, on coral atolls or the volcanic escarpments of Iwo is told here laid on the line. In addition, there is a fund of pithy comment upon Jap tactics and technics leading to the assumption that the Jap was a very brave fighter but also upon many occasions a very dumb one.

Major Hough is imbued, as are all marines, with the esprit de corps of his outfit. The reasons for that esprit are made clear when he writes: "This is not the story of individual men, but of a certain large body of men bound together by the closest of all masculine ties: that comradeship born of the shared peril and hardship of battle." *The Island War* tells effectively what the Marines did and shows why they are so justifiably proud of their outfit. With all this pride it is only fair to point out that the marines are not glorified at the expense of the other services, for *The Island War* transcends mere corps loyalty and is exciting reading for all.

Frank, we understand, has moved to Florida; whether he has fallen in love with palm trees or is hiding in the Okefenokee Swamp is unknown, but from his retreat will shortly come other books, whether of this war or the Revolution we do not know.



## Murphy's Log ◀

▶▶ IT WAS THE CHANCE of a lifetime for a young naturalist just out of college, and Robert Cushman Murphy '11 jumped at it. His jump took him aboard the Brig Daisy, an oldtime New Bedford whaler, bound from Barbados in general toward South Georgia, an island of blizzards and glaciers, sea-beasts and sea-fowl, the pioneer base of Antarctic whaling. He poured his thoughts and emotions into a journal for the bride he left behind.

Now, 35 years later, with his renown as a scientist firmly established, Dr. Murphy publishes much of that report in "Logbook for Grace," one of the season's most acclaimed books (Macmillan, \$4.)

Murphy's errand was the collection and describing wild life and plant life. But adventure inevitably was his companion, along with a ship's company of interest to him. He shared in the sea chores, and his entries record them all, from the routine trick at the wheel to the nine-hour battle with a fighting whale. The writing has style, substance, and humanity, recreating, sharing.

Occasionally, a Brown man encounters particular bits of heart-warming pleasure. Down near the Horn, for instance, Murphy took from the letter bag "a most winning epistle from John Francis Green, Pro-

fessor of Roman Literature and History at Brown," written six months before. That letter, obviously, has been treasured through the years:

"Naturally, when I think of a former pupil like yourself, I often recall the subjects we thrashed out together—Horace, for example. You certainly are going to have a chance to prove the philosophy of the *Integer vitae*. Sing of your Lalage, and the brutes will flee you, though perhaps you would rather catch 'em. At any rate, you will have the scenic background . . . either the sunscorched tropics of the polar fields where there are no trees refreshed by summer's breeze."

Dr. Murphy's comment: "I realize that the day of the classical languages is waning, and that there are new humanities which will make it impracticable for the average educated man of the future to dig into Greek or Latin, or both, for from four to six long years. But I'm glad that I lived before the end of the transition, because the apogee of my college course, for sheer fun, came when I faced the inspired countenance of Johnny Green and read Horace, Catullus, Tibullus, and Propertius. I have Horace with me but, in any case, I know by heart many of the lyrics. Now that we have left the region of the too near sun and are drawing nigh one o'er which brood mists and a gloomy sky, I can still walk the quarterdeck with

my Lalage and sing, under my breath, to her alone."

The dirty weather near Cape Horn Murphy likened to "spending a few February days and nights on Angell St., Providence." "Even such a conception falls short," he adds, "because it is at least safe to stand up on Angell Street, but here it is a struggle to maintain any position whatsoever, not excluding a horizontal one."

▶ IT WAS QUITE A PULL getting from one hemisphere into the other during a contrasting period of calm. "I found myself obsessed by the crossing of imaginary lines, about five yards apart, and my fancy carried me back to football games that you and I have watched together during the past three years. Can we cross the goal in today's game? I kept asking myself over and over again, finally drifting off into reverie.

"Sprackling has sent the ball down the field on two forward passes to the seven-yard line. Two rushes through left guard have gained five yards, and now it is second down, with 45 seconds of the game left to play, and the score 0-0. The thrilling numbers are called; the Podunk forward wall stands firm as a rock to stave off defeat. Charlie Sisson snaps the pigskin, and Sprack slams it into the pit of Russ McKay's stomach, who plunges forward like a battering ram into the hole my brother Ed is making. . . ."

"Logbook for Grace" has had a fine press. William McFee said in the *New York Sun* that, with a little luck, it "might join Dana on the shelf of permanent travel classics . . . Something should be done about keeping it in print and steering it toward the young people." Lewis Gannett, in the *New York Herald Tribune*, called it "a book to set on the shelf beside 'Moby Dick' and 'Two Years Before the Mast.'"

▶ DR. MURPHY, Chairman of the Department of Birds at The American Museum of Natural History, New York, and distinguished ornithologist, is author of "Bird Islands of Peru" and "Oceanic Birds of South America." He also collaborated on "Problems of Polar Research." In addition, he has contributed numerous articles on marine zoology, ornithology and oceanography. His scientific interest in birds and mammals started when he dissected a two weeks-dead whale on Long Island shore—long before he entered college.

The roundabout trip to South Georgia was the beginning of Dr. Murphy's brilliant career as an ornithologist. He not only made several other voyages, but was the leader for expeditions into the tropical and sub-arctic Atlantic Ocean, Lower California, Mexico, the coast and island of Peru, the western Mediterranean, Pacific Coast of Colombia and to Peru and Ecuador. All these trips were made in behalf of the Brooklyn Museum and The American Museum of Natural History as well as the American Geological Society.

In 1918 Dr. Murphy received his A.M. from Columbia University, and in 1925 the University of San Marcos in Lima, Peru, awarded him his D. Sc., honoris causa. Brown University also conferred on him a similar degree in 1941. Among the several awards that Dr. Murphy has received for his contributions to science are the Brewster Medal, Bronze Medal and the Cullum Medal. They were presented to him respectively by the American Ornithology Union, John Burroughs Association and the American Geological Society.



### The Graduate Convocation

▶▶ AS THE separate Convocation for the Brown Graduate School was revived for the first time since 1941, the University awarded advanced degrees to 48 graduate students—15 doctorates and 33 master's degrees. The Convocation was held Saturday afternoon of Commencement week-end, preceded by an academic procession to Sayles Hall.

The graduates heard a "Survey of the Sciences" from Dean Richard Chace Tolman of California Institute of Technology, former scientific advisor to the Atomic Energy Commission. Pointing out that science is neither good nor evil in itself, Dr. Tolman showed it was the application by man which gave it its nature. "In pure science, facts are ethically neutral."

Keeping certain facts secret, like those

### BEFORE THE CONVOCATION: Dean Richard C. Tolman of Cal-Tech, speaker, and Dean R. G. D. Richardson of Brown's Graduate School.

on atomic energy, can be important for the time being, the speaker said. But such an expedient can make no fundamental contribution to the control of evil, since the facts of nature are open equally to all men for study. The control of evil will be possible through the ethical insight and scientific intelligence of man.

To Dean Roland G. D. Richardson, who presented the candidates of his Graduate School for the degrees, Dr. Tolman paid a special compliment. He spoke of the Dean's "sagacity and ability in fostering the establishment of Brown University's Institute of Applied Mathematics."

# Headliners ◀

## Wellesley's Word for Mead

▶▶ WELLESLEY, too, had its tribute for Dr. Albert Davis Mead. Its Board of Trustees adopted a minute in recognition of his services as a member from 1934 to 1945: "He had unique qualifications for usefulness."

"He was the husband of a loyal Wellesley alumna, Ada Wing of the Class of 1886. He was a scientist of distinction, with a keen understanding of the teaching role in the college and in American society. He was . . . fully aware of an administrator's problems. The versatility of understanding was combined with a genial wit which made him a refreshing member of the Committee on Educational Policy on which he served throughout his term of office. He also served faithfully and well (the Library Council).

"Because of failing eyesight, Dr. Mead resigned from the Board in May, 1945. That did not sever his connection with the College. . . . His letters in recent years had to be dictated and were written for him by Mrs. Mead until her death in May, 1946. They were characteristic of him in their encouragement to and appreciation of anything which vitalized the intellectual life of the College."

The services in his memory at Brown on Feb. 21 were marked by splendid tributes from his associates at Brown and elsewhere in Providence. The University is publishing their words in a special pamphlet which will be available on request. ◀

## Honored by His Race

▶ BRACKETING HIS NAME with those of Dr. George Washington Carver and Percy Levon Julian among the Negro leaders in chemistry, School and Society magazine pays tribute to Bruce Henry Green '02. Clarence W. Wright wrote:

"There appeared on the scientific horizon toward the latter part of the 19th century one destined to be a great teacher of science. Although he did not make any great discoveries in science, he possessed a natural gift for imparting knowledge and unfolding to others the beauty of nature." A professor of chemistry at Wilberforce University for more than a quarter of a century (until his death in 1937), Mr. Green consecrated his life "to the development of race leadership in chemistry and the bringing about of needed improvements in the teaching of chemistry."

"An appropriate way in which to keep alive the spirit of one who gave so unselfishly to the training of youth in chemistry would be to name in his honor a public building or perhaps a laboratory in the proposed Faith Hall of Science to be constructed at Wilberforce." ◀

## Back to His Hometown

▶ HIS WAR ROVINGS on behalf of USO over, Hugh Rennie '23 particularly enjoyed his work in "Craig's Wife" this winter because his wife, Dorsa Duckworth, also had a part in the Broadway revival. In addition to playing Joseph Catelle, Rennie was stage manager.

"This is not new work for Mr. Rennie," remarked Helen Barrett of the Wilmington, Del., Journal-Every Evening when the show played there in February trials. "He served in a similar capacity for the long run of 'Arsenic and Old Lace.' As an actor, Mr. Rennie has 'Goodbye Again,' 'You Can't Take It with You,' and 'Family Portrait' to his credit, and as manager



**TWO PRESIDENTS:** Harry Truman returned the compliment to Warren B. Francis '29 by attending the latter's inauguration as President — of the National Press Club. Greatest organization of its kind in the world, the Washington club has a large membership, a half-million-dollar property, and activity. Francis, correspondent of the *Los Angeles Times*, is first West Coaster to be NPC President in 24 years. (Acme Photo)

and director spent a period overseas with the USO in New Guinea and the Philippines. (He presented the first group of shows in Manila after the recapture of the islands.)"

He has directed summer theatres at Pompton Lakes, Cape May, and elsewhere, and he has played in supporting casts of such stars as the Lunts, Katharine Cornell, and Blanche Yurka. The home-town columnist recalled his fine performance in the title role of "Monsieur Beaucaire" as a Wilmington High School student and referred to his Sock and Buskin days at Brown.

Like her husband, Miss Duckworth has been connected with the Theatre Guild and played in a large number of hits and near-hits. ◀

## Phi Betes Elect Branch

▶ CLAUDE R. BRANCH '07 is the new President of the Rhode Island Alpha of Phi Beta Kappa, chosen to succeed Prof. R. Bruce Lindsay '20 at the annual meeting of the chapter June 14. Other officers elected are: Vice-President—Prof. James B. Hedges; Secretary—Prof. William T. Hastings '03; Treasurer—Ronald B. Smith '23; Historian—Prof. Lawrence C. Wroth; Auditor—George L. Miner '97. Roger T. Clapp '19 was chairman of the nominating committee which brought in the slate.

After the meeting 12 Brown and Pembroke Seniors and three Juniors were initiated and were guests at lunch, Prof. Vincent Tomas being the principal speaker. ◀

## Japan's New Destiny

▶ JAPAN NOW BELIEVES its destiny linked with the United States, but Russia is engaged in an extravagant attempt to win—or force Japan's approval, in the opinion of Lt. Col. John F. Aiso '31. The *Los Angeles Times* further quotes him as saying he believes withdrawal of American occupation forces would spark a scramble for the domination of Nippon by the other powers.

Aiso, who was a banker in Japan before the war, served for more than a year in the intelligence staff section of General MacArthur's Tokyo headquarters. He enlisted in the American Army as a buck private in April, 1941, and rose to hold the highest rank ever held by a Nisei. As director of academic training at the Military Intelligence Service Language School at the Presidio of San Francisco, Camp Savage, and Fort Snelling, he supervised the indoctrination and training of nearly 6000 intelligence men. Some 60% of these were Japanese-Americans who served with the Americans in the Pacific. He wears the Army Commendation Ribbon with Oak Leaf Cluster for his work at the intelligence school and in Tokyo. He plans to return to law practice in Los Angeles.

"General MacArthur is doing an admirable job," Aiso said in the *Times* interview, "but it will take at least 20 years to democratize Japan—time enough for the education of one complete generation. The Japanese themselves want us to remain as long as possible." ◀



### History Near Home

►► "A NEW APPROACH to Local Business History" by Leon S. Gay '06 has created quite a stir in historical circles. Originally presented before the American Historical Association in New York last winter, it has now been printed by the Business Historical Society (Harvard) in its *Bulletin*. Mr. Gay came to Providence to give a paper on the subject before the R. I. Historical Society in March.

The Cavendish manufacturer who is also President of the Vermont Historical Society (re-elected in January) practised what he preached. He believed that economic history would never be understood without more information about the small business man. Also, when the 75th anniversary of his company was approaching, he sought to have an accurate history of it written and "in addition, a study of the social and economic background" of the community. The result was the now-famous "Neither Wealth Nor Poverty" by Janet Mabie, published with the imprint of the Vermont Historical Society—the first work of its kind so to be sponsored in America, apparently. It was based on original records, to which the writer was given unrestricted access.

The title of the book was taken from Mr. Gay's remarks as presiding officer at Brown's 1941 Commencement meeting: "We have neither wealth nor poverty, but in these times when the foundation stones of Liberty and Justice are being shattered, we feel Vermont has a way of life to offer, to her Sister States and to the world."

The book attacked two conceptions: "that an historical society is a collection of elderly people living in the past, dreaming about a dry and musty world which has no relation to present day problems; and that business, while a necessary part of the production front, is a shady institution which thrives on secrecy, with no sense of obligation to the public which makes its profits possible." Seeking to enlarge upon his idea, Mr. Gay suggested to the New England Council that other State societies be encouraged to delve into local business history—a proposal followed up with a group formed to watch over this project.

Mr. Gay was elected in May to take the place of the late Dr. A. D. Mead as a Life Trustee of Middlebury College. On one of his visits to that campus he shared in a panel discussion as a member of the Middlebury Cultural Conference, taking the part of Business and Private Enterprise in a debate with nine professors. Mr. Gay has just been appointed a member of the taxation committee of the National Association of Manufacturers.

### Stigler Confers Abroad

► DR. GEORGE J. STIGLER, professor of economics at Brown University and one of the country's leading economic theorists, is back from Europe after attending a 10-day conference of economists of the so-called "old-fashioned" liberal school at Montpelier, Switzerland. Stigler was one of 30 representatives from the United States attending the conference along with other delegates from throughout the world.

The purpose of the meeting, held in accordance with a plan proposed by Frederick Hayek, author of "Road to Serfdom," was to explore the desirability of organizing a society of economists who are in sympathy with the classical liberal viewpoint of the 19th century. Such an organization would formulate a program designed to reaffirm the economic philosophy of the classical liberal based on the maintenance of individual liberty in economic life as contrasted with the idea of a planned economy.

Professor Stigler, author of numerous books and articles on economic theory, was appointed to the Brown faculty in March, 1946, as a full professor. He has also been a member of the faculties at Iowa State University and at the Universities of Chicago, Michigan and Minnesota. During World War II, Dr. Stigler served on the Research Staff of the National Bureau of Economic Research, as principal economist for the Office of Price Administration and as principal statistician in the Division of War Research.

### Samson of the UNRRA

►► A COPY of the *Canton Daily Sun* reached us from China recently, although it was dated Jan. 21. Its principal news—for us—was the following item:

"Henry T. Samson, newly appointed UNRRA Chief Representative for Kwangtung, arrived in China yesterday. Mr. Samson served as Head of the Division of Regional Administration in the UNRRA China Office. In this capacity he analyzed the UNRRA CNRRA programs in the 15 China regions and made recommendations to the Director of the China Office, Maj. Glen E. Edgerton, for program changes and extensions of the programs within the regions. Mr. Samson also formerly served as Chief Welfare Officer for Hunan Province, advising on welfare operations there during the critical famine period last summer. Mr. Samson's UNRRA experience includes service in Greece, Germany, and as chief of the Luxembourg Mission during 'The Battle of the Bulge' period."

The *Sun* was something new in our contacts with journalism, our interest also being caught by the price (C.N.C. \$100) and a gossip column by Lotof Hui.

About the same time a letter from Mr. Samson informed us he would be in charge of the UNRRA South China Office in Canton until September—"a fascinating job." "The next six months," he said,

"should tell the story in China one way or the other—and anybody's guess is worth listening to, providing you remember that at best it can be only a guess. The outcome is unpredictable but not without hope either way."

Samson, with compliments for this magazine, also revealed his intention to make gifts to the Housing and Development Campaign and the Alumni Fund in memory of his brother, Seneca (Brown 1921), his son Jim, killed on the beach at Saipan with the Fourth Marines, and himself.

### Zeta Psi's 95th

► ZETA PSI observed the 95th anniversary of Epsilon Chapter at Brown at the University Club in Providence in April. Speakers included: John Desmond Glover '36 of the Harvard Business school faculty and consulting expert to the Assistant Secretary of War for Air; Clinton N. Williams '31, chairman of the banquet committee; Bennett B. Fuller '45, chapter president; and Cresap S. Watson '50, initiate. Lt. George W. Williams '42, White House Naval aide, was toastmaster.

The Zeta Psi Association of Rhode Island elected the following officers: President—William A. Jewett '41, director of the Placement Bureau at Brown; Vice-President—C. Woodbury Gorman; Secretary—E. Sheldon Knowles; Treasurer—Don C. Brewer.

### \$140,000 for Graduate Students

► THE SUM of \$140,000 for fellowships and positions as assistants at Brown University is available for the academic year of 1947-1948, Dr. Roland G. D. Richardson, Dean of the Graduate School, announces. Included are teaching fellowships of \$1250 to \$1500; 40 fellowships of \$600 to \$1200 for study in the sciences and liberal arts, and research fellowships for Brown graduates. Stipends of \$800 to \$1200 are offered in a number of departments for 80 assistantships. The Registrar of the Graduate School will be glad to provide full information.

## Lifted from Our Letters

Sir:

Somewhere I read "You can lead a boy to college, but you can't make him think." Somebody has to do a little thinking and planning. Here are a few thoughts:

Every college or university is just what the alumni make it. The alumni and friends make it possible for Brown to carry on. At the end of his course every alumnus is indebted to Brown. Brown uses money and equipment, much more than the individual pays, to give opportunity to prepare to play the game of life.

Each one has to live his own life in his own way—nobody can live it for him. He may call it a bond issued by Brown to pay the extra cost. The alumnus may give something to the Alumni Fund annually which can be considered interest on the bond.

Now we come to a time when it seems best to see to it that Brown continues to be 'way out in front, carrying on the best kind of education for future generations. Think it over. We are passing this way but once and can take nothing with us. Let's co-operate and squeeze out all we can now in the present time, which is all we know anything about.

Mother Brown did much for us, and now it is our turn to join together and make every effort to help Brown continue the kind of education which will be most beneficial to those coming after us.

HARRY L. GRANT '90  
Providence

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Recently when I was en route from Philadelphia to New York, I sat beside a doctor, a graduate some ten years ago from Georgetown University Medical School. In the conversation he asked me from what college I had graduated. When I told him BROWN, he instantly exclaimed, "That is where Charles Evans Hughes graduated." It was not a particular professor or half dozen professors, or any one department that made Brown loom high in this doctor's mind. It was a man—our highly esteemed Charles Evans Hughes.

In this case a man is greater than an institution.  
ARTHUR WAKEFIELD '00  
Wyncote, Pa.

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Have noticed Brown is getting better and more publicity lately.

C. C. MYERS '25  
Philadelphia



## BROWN ALUMNI MONTHLY

### Vital Statistics ◀

#### ENGAGEMENTS

▶ 1932 — Miss HELEN H. COONS, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid H. Herbert of Pittsfield, to Martin J. Daly.

1935 — Mrs. Patricia Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis A. Satterthwaite of Woburn, Mass., to William O. Wallburg.

1936 — Miss Barbara Bigelow, daughter of Mrs. Leonard C. Bigelow of Framingham Center, to David Balfour.

1938 — Miss Paula W. Hurvitt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ely Hurvitt of Malden, Mass., to Alexander Kantor.

1938 — Miss Eann B. Ganzenmuller, daughter of Mrs. Mildred B. Ganzenmuller of Forest Hills, Queens and Mr. William T. Ganzenmuller of Teaneck, N. J., to Carl G. Nesbitt, Jr.

1939 — Miss Evelyn F. Pick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pick of Providence to Justin L. Robinson, son of Benjamin Robinson '13.

1940 — Miss Dorothy Ann Dyson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Dyson of Cleveland, to James S. Ely, son of Prof. Albert A. Bennett '10.

1942 — Miss Aline F. Barnes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Barnes of Syracuse, to Andrew S. Clark.

1943 — Miss Barbara A. Keohane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Keohane of Chestnut Hill, Mass., to Charles D. Houlihan.

1943 — Miss Lillian M. Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel M. Baker of Providence, to Francis X. Cooney, son of John J. Cooney '08.

1943 — Miss Elenore S. Finklestein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Finklestein of Brockton, to Peter S. Freedman.

1943 — Miss Constance Hubbard, daughter of Lt. Col. Frank E. Hubbard and Mrs. Hubbard of Westford Circle, to Marshall F. Stockwell.

1943 — Miss Jean M. Kelly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin J. Kelly of Oak Park, Ill., to Howard W. Raymond.

1944 — Miss Eleanor B. Blaisdell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney B. Blaisdell of Providence, to Robert G. Berry.

1945 — Miss Margaret E. Benton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Benton of Scarsdale, N. Y., to F. Lawrence Cuff.

1946 — Miss Jacqueline S. Berger, Pembroke '46, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Berger of Edgewood, to Charles A. Wiesel.

1946 — Miss Frances E. Gerry, daughter of Mrs. Edward L. Gerry of Lowell, Mass., to Ellwood E. Shields.

1944 — Miss Ruth S. Warren, Pembroke '46, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan P. Warren of Providence, to Leslie B. Cohen.

1946 — Miss Beth Methot, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonce Methot of New Bedford, to Midshipman Philip W. Erickson, USN.

1947 — Miss June N. Johnston, daughter of Lt. Col. and Mrs. Leicester S. Johnston of Melrose, Mass., to Horace Megathlin, Jr.

1947 — Miss Harriett V. Brewer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. Howard Brewer of Hartford, to William Welling.

1947 — Miss Virginia B. Swift, daughter of Mrs. Marguerite E. Swift of Providence, to Ens. Wilson J. Remick, USNR.

#### WEDDINGS

▶ 1933 — HERBERT H. PICKARD and Dorothy Rice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Rice of Westboro, Mass., on Oct. 5, 1946. Rev. Kenneth L. Palmer '31 officiated.



**EASTERN CHAMPIONS:** Brown's 1947 NROTC Rifle Team not only won regional honors but won 24 out of 25 matches.

1933 — Maurice T. Taylor and Miss Charlotte R. Seserman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon F. Seserman of Colchester, Conn., March 2, 1947. Address: Norwich, Conn.

1933 — Robert W. Wolfe and Miss Marjorie Froehlich, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Froehlich of New Rochelle, N. Y., in the First Presbyterian Church, on Feb. 8, 1947. Arnold Tulp '33 and Norman Pierce '33 were ushers. Address: Essex Falls, N. J.

1935 — Robert C. Taylor and Miss Henrietta L. Jones, in Menauhant, Mass. on July 6, 1946.

1936 — Stephen N. Burgess and Miss Emma Louis Heald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Heald of Jackson, Miss., in the Universalist National Methodist Church, Washington, D. C., on March 14, 1947. Mr. Ralph Tanner '36 was best man. Address: Providence, R. I.

1938 — J. J. Henry Muller, III and Miss Elizabeth F. Cottenham of Hudson Falls, N. Y., in Zion Episcopal Church, April 27, 1946. Mr. James R. Cronkhite '40 was an usher. Address: 5 Usher St., Woodmont, Conn.

1939 — Earl H. Metzger, Jr. and Miss Elinor R. Sauls, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. George E. Sauls, in St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Panama City, Fla., Feb. 22, 1947. Address: Atlanta, N. J.

1939 — Leonard D. LeValley and Miss Elizabeth K. Pentz, daughter of Mrs. Van Brunt Seaman of Providence, in the First Congregational Church, March 8, 1947. Mr. Benjamin A. Chase '38 was best man.

1939 — William L. Carter and Miss Mary Brauers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Brauers of Milwaukee, in St. Nicholas Mission, Feb. 22, 1947. Address: Buenos Aires, South America.

1940 — Charles B. Chase, Jr. and Miss Nancy E. Bastien, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin E. Bastien of Chicago, Jan. 25, 1947.

1940 — Frederick Bloom and Miss Ann Berliner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin E. Berliner of Larchmont, N. Y., Feb. 20, 1947. Address: South Portland, Me.

1941 — Alexander Murdock, Jr. and Miss Shirley M. Abbott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Merton B. Abbott of Norwalk, Conn., Dec. 27, 1946. Address: Westport, Conn.

1942 — Dr. Linwood H. Johnson, Jr. and Miss Alma Mae Burton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Renald V. Burton of Hartwood, Va. in the National Baptist Memorial Church, Washington, D. C., March 15, 1947. Address: Washington, D. C.

1942 — Elmer M. Blistein and Sophia Schaffer, Pembroke '41, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Schaffer of Pawtucket, in Ohawe Sholam Synagogue, Nov. 27, 1946. Bernard E. Bell '42 was best man. Address: 228 Waterman St., Providence.

1943 — Joseph L. Johnson, Jr. and Miss Ruth S. Hunter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Hunter of Newton and Duxbury, in the Grace Church, Newton, March 29, 1947. Charles Houlihan '43 was an usher. Address: Duxbury, Mass.

1943 — James G. Mitchell and Miss M. Janet Linderson, Pembroke '45, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Linderson of Riverside, R. I., in the United Presbyterian Church, Fall River, Oct. 19, 1946.

1943 — George P. Wargo, Jr. and Miss Nancy M. Olsen, daughter of Mrs. Theodore Olsen of New London and the late Mr. Olsen, in St. Joseph's rectory, Feb. 24, 1947. Address: New London, Conn.

1944 — Edward A. Shields and Miss Mary K. Hope, daughter of Mrs. John A. Hope of Waban, Mass., in St. Philip Neri Church, Feb. 15, 1947. Henry A. Frost, Jr., '44 was best man, Peter Chase '44, Robert Dunbar '44, and Philip C. Osberg '44 were ushers.

1944 — Robert W. Elsner and Miss Elizabeth Hatheway Fuller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Fuller of New Bedford, Mass., Dec. 28, 1946.

1944 — Robert H. Batchelder and Miss Janet W. Bentley, daughter of Major and Mrs. Harold G. Bentley of Edgewood, R. I., in the Church of the Transfiguration, March 22, 1947. Richard B. Pretat '45 was an usher. Address: 198½ Burlington St., Providence.



1944—Joseph W. Schwanda and Miss Helen J. Goslin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph V. Goslin of Greenwich, Conn., in St. Mary's Church, Feb. 1, 1947. Maxwell Montgomery '44 was an usher.

1945—Martin H. Styles and Miss Elizabeth Hassell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira F. Hassell of New York, in the Church of the Covenant, March 29, 1947. John J. Mealy '45 was best man and William Hoffmann '45 was an usher.

1945—Joseph A. Charette, Jr. and Miss Elizabeth A. Starkey, Pembroke '47, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Starkey of Brockton, Mass., in the Collegiate Marble Church, New York City, Aug. 17, 1946.

1946—William S. Barrett and Miss Jean C. Jarden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll R. Jarden of Jenkintown, Pa., in the Church of Our Saviour, Feb. 15, 1947.

1946—Thomas Asquith, Jr. and Miss Edith E. Cook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Berton E. Cook of Fall River, in the First Baptist Church, Feb. 14, 1947. Bradford D. Davol, 3rd, '46 was an usher. Address: 250 Mildred Ave., Syracuse, N. Y.

#### BIRTHS

► 1927—To Mr. and Mrs. Selig Greenberg of Providence, a daughter, Ann Gladys, Feb. 12, 1947.

1928—To Mr. and Mrs. Kent F. Mattheson of Providence, a second daughter, Lydia Kent, March 9, 1947.

1929—To Mr. and Mrs. John VanNest of Worcester, Mass., a son, Thomas Lyons, Dec. 5, 1946.

1933—To Mr. and Mrs. Clarkson A. Collins, 3rd, of Providence, a second son, Lodowick Updike, March 8, 1947.

1934—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles K. Campbell of Chicago, a second daughter, Judith King, March 26, 1947.

1936—To Mr. and Mrs. James K. Leahy of Parlin, N. J., a son David Hayes, March 28, 1947.

1936—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Knobel of Miami, Fla., a girl, Sherrill Lynn, March 11, 1947.

1936—To Mr. and Mrs. James G. Krause of Lebanon, Pa., a daughter, Nancy, April 24, 1947.

1936—To Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Tannenwald, Jr., of Washington, D. C., a son, Robert, March 16, 1947.

1937—To Dr. and Mrs. Joseph C. Dembo of Groton, Conn., a son, Franklin Walt, Dec. 13, 1946.

1938—To Dr. and Mrs. Howard A. Blazar of Philadelphia, a daughter, Jean Barron, Feb. 5, 1947.

1940—To Mr. and Mrs. Norman Stanley Case, Jr., of Bethel, Vt., a son, John Warren, Feb. 18, 1947.

1940—To Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Wilder, Jr., of Washington, D. C., a daughter, Emily Kempton, March 8, 1947.

1940—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Ware of Montclair, N. J., a son, Robert, March 14, 1947.

1941—To Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Hale of Boston, a daughter, Judith Barbara, Oct. 19, 1946.

1941—To Mr. and Mrs. Stephen G. Stone, Jr., of Pleasantville, N. Y., a son, Stephen Grant III, Dec. 8, 1946.

1941—To Mr. and Mrs. Norman D. Newcomb of Schoharie, N. Y., a second son, James Allan, Jan. 28, 1947.

1942—To Captain and Mrs. E. T. Savignano of Apponaug, R. I., a second son, Richard French, Sept. 27, 1946.

1943—To Mr. and Mrs. Dwight R. Ladd of East Wareham, Mass., a son, Dwight Robert, Jr., March 5, 1947.

1943—To Mr. and Mrs. Donald E. Corzine (Audrey Armstrong, Pembroke '43) of Milwaukee, a son, Kent Brayton, Feb. 20, 1947.

1944—To Dr. and Mrs. Eugene D. Rames of Minneapolis, Minn., a son, Peter Byron, Feb. 17, 1947.

1944—To Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Dowe of Danielson, Conn., a daughter, Susan Elizabeth, Sept. 8, 1946.

1944—To Mr. and Mrs. J. Benjamin Nevin, Jr., of Providence, a daughter, Joyce, March 10, 1947.

1944—To Mr. and Mrs. Louis R. Glavis, Jr., of Providence, a daughter, Diane, Jan. 18, 1947.

1944—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Isherwood of Tiverton, R. I., a son, David Durfee, March 11, 1947.

1945—To Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fontan, twin sons, John and Paul Gregory, January 6, 1947.

1945—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Furlong of Montclair, N. J., a son, Robert G., Jr., Jan. 2, 1947.

1945—To Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan P. Brooks of Providence, a daughter, Carol, Feb. 7, 1947.

1947—To Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Evans, Jr., of New Orleans, La., a son, James, Nov. 23, 1946.

## ► ► Brunonians Far and Near

EDITED BY JOHN B. HARCOURT '43

#### 1882

The Pawling School at Pawling, N. Y., which Dr. Frederick L. Gamage founded in 1907 and where he served as headmaster or chaplain for 35 years, has been acquired by Trinity School of New York City. Trinity has long wished to have a supplementary boarding school in the country and will open the Trinity-Pawling School in the fall.

#### 1890

Rev. Abram LeGrand, D.D., has become interim pastor of the Summit Ave. Baptist Church in Jersey City, N. J.

#### 1891

We note with regret the death of Mrs. Alice A. Taft, widow of Robert W. Taft '91.

#### 1892

Prof. Edmund B. Munger has been a resident of Xenia, Ohio, since his retirement from Illinois Wesleyan. He has had a long record of excellent teaching and musicianship, and we recall a piano recital he gave in Providence some years ago to the delight of all.

William C. Langdon is living at Roseville Rd., Westport, Conn.

#### 1893

Robert M. Brown sends a new address at Mount Philo Inn, North Ferrisburg, Vt. Stephen Hopkins is living at 275 Elm St., Biddesford, Me.

Henry Arnold corrects his address to read Pemaquid, Me.

#### 1894

J. Schuyler Fox, retired principal of the Poughkeepsie High School in New York, took an active part in the formation of the new Mid-Hudson Brown Club in that city and had a post of honor at the head table as the senior alumnus present. He

takes great satisfaction in the good men who have come to Brown from Poughkeepsie.

#### 1895

George E. Smith sends us his address at 71 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

#### 1897

Dr. Marcius H. Merchant is the first president of the new Bristol County Medical Association in Rhode Island. He has been a physician in Warren and Barrington for more than 40 years.

Francis B. Richard sends us his permanent address at the Sandy Hook P. O. in Connecticut.

Laid up for repairs and not able to come to the 50th reunion, several members sent greetings: Herbert A. Matteson at home at 30 Fairview Ave., West Warwick; Clarence H. Lingham, retired from Ginn & Co., publishing, at home in Littleton, Mass.; Russell Hathaway, retired in 1943 from the Associated Press, is convalescing from a siege of illness but sent greetings in his own hand, cheerful, from 35 Van Schoick Ave., Albany.

Prof. Elijah W. Bagster-Collins, of the Faculty of Columbia Teachers College, sent his regrets from the *Queen Elizabeth*, saying that he and his wife were to spend the next few months in Switzerland.

Arthur M. McCrillis, as deacon of the Central Baptist Church of Providence, acted for the entire congregation in presenting their testimonial to the retiring pastor, Rev. Dale D. Dutton.

Russell Grinnell, President of Grinnell Corporation, has for the first time in the company's long history, made public its annual report. *The Wall Street Journal* noted: "Grinnell, which makes sprinkler systems for industrial and other buildings, has decided it is time to publish earnings in view of the wider distribution of its stock as compared with earlier years."

George L. Miner, long Treasurer of the Providence Art Club, presented his resignation this June and heard pleasant praise of his services.

#### 1898

Richard R. Hunter, the *Scarsdale Inquirer* reports, has received official War Department commendation "in recognition of meritorious service to The Quartermaster General in the renegotiation of Government contracts for the elimination of excessive war profits." The citation continues: "With conscientious and painstaking care he devoted himself to the duties of negotiator. His reasonable and judicial atti-

#### Hawaiian Chronicle

► GEORGE MCKINLEY MCCLELLAN '95 has been in Honolulu to do some research for a volume on the early history of Hawaii which he has been commissioned to write. He was a logical choice for the task inasmuch as he played a lively role in the development of Hawaii through its most crucial period.

He is spoken of as "one of the comparatively few men living today who was personally associated with those responsible for overthrowing the old Hawaiian monarchy, setting up the Republic of Hawaii, and turning that into the Territory of Hawaii."

*A Bear for the Asklings*

▶ ▶ IN A CARTOON, a Bear is one thing. But even a Brown man would rather not have a bear on his property. It's something you'd as soon give away—on a come-and-get-it basis.

When Charles Leslie Paull '97 came back for his 50th reunion, he brought a clipping of a gravure feature from the *Denver Post* for Sept. 29, 1946, documenting his encounter with a bear in his hencoop near Englewood, Colo. As it happened, the hencoop was unoccupied and abandoned, and it provided only a trap, for Paull shut the door on the animal. With the help of the State humane society, the county sheriff, and the superintendent of the Denver Zoo, Paull rigged a noose on the end of a stout pole. Hog-tying the 120-pound youngster followed, and Bruno moved into the zoo in Denver City Park.

Mr. Paull brought a number of Brown souvenirs which the University Archivist gratefully accepted. They included an acorn carved from a beam from University Hall in 1883 (turning oak back into acorn was a neat switch), a copy of the resolution signed by President Andrews and the four class presidents when Paull went off to the Spanish War, and photos of Profs. Bumpus, Mead, Gorham, Tower, and Field of the Biology Department, taken in their offices during Paull's undergraduate years. A veteran of the Spanish and First World Wars, Mr. Paull worked in an ammunition factory during the recent war.

tude coupled with his sagacity in business and finance and his tactful and persuasive manner succeeded in winning the cooperation of business firms in achieving fair and sound renegotiation settlements." Mr. Hunter is the former mayor of Scarsdale village.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight K. Bartlett returned in May from an airplane tour of South America. He is an officer of the Builders Iron Foundry in Providence.

George W. Harrington is now living at 190 Upton Ave., Providence.

**1899**

Clarence S. Brigham, director of the American Antiquarian Society of Worcester, has recently completed "A History and Bibliography of American Newspapers," published in two volumes by the Harvard Press.

Judge Charles A. Walsh was named chairman of a Providence committee to arrange a program for "Operation Naval Reserve" held here in May.

John D. Burchard sends his address at Box 461, Nenana, Alaska.

**1900**

At the spring meeting, in Montreal, of the Canadian Section of the American Water Works Association, Charles G. Richardson read an illustrated paper on "Advances in Flow Metering and Controlling Equipment."

**1901**

Why wait till our 50th anniversary? Secretary William H. Hull put it up to the members of the class in a letter that went to all in May. "At our 45th reunion last June, some sentiment was manifest for our next reunion in June, 1949, rather than wait for the regular fifth-year date in 1951," he reported. "As you must realize, we are not getting any younger each year. We would like very much to have your views on holding a reunion in 1949."

At the 13th annual session of the Institute of World Affairs to be held at Warner, N. H. next August, Dr. Arthur I. Andrews will teach a course on "The Background of Mediterranean Problems." Dr. Andrews was formerly Professor of Diplomacy at the Charles University and Lecturer at the University of Cluj and Sofia.

The Goodwin Memorial Library in Hadley, Mass., has received from Col. G. A. Taylor framed pictures of the 13 men from the town who gave their lives in World War II. Col. Taylor's poetry was praised at a recent meeting of Hope Grange which featured Hadley writers.

**1902**

In his 30 years as pastor of the First Baptist Church in Anderson Park, Hackensack, N. J., Dr. Harry C. Leach has seen the membership grow from 179 to 1051; the Sunday School from 125 to 1201. Offerings over 30 years have totalled more than \$650,000, while the church property, including \$105,000 church, chapel, service house, annex, and parsonage are all debt-free. Jeremiah Holmes left with us at Commencement time the program of the 30th anniversary service Dec. 8, 1946. Dr. Leach received his honorary D.D. from Wheaton in 1931.

James B. Littlefield has been elected 92nd grand master of The Grand Lodge of Rhode Island Masons.

P. D. Sherman sends a new address at Townshend, Vt.

**1903**

A current proposal in Phi Beta Kappa would permit election of members-at-large,

# Seizing an Opportunity ◀ ◀

*A Chance for All*

▶ BROWN UNIVERSITY'S project to give a college chance to veterans who had been disqualified theoretically by low high school grades or lack of credits from admission to other schools merits thoughtful study.

Brown set up a special project for such veterans in its area—on an experimental basis and somewhat pessimistically—with the expectation of shifting a select few after two years to the established college. Actually these mature GI students, who lacked the accepted educational background for college entrance, have demonstrated such remarkable capacity that one-third of them have already been transferred. Fifty percent stand as high in scholarship, or higher, than 75 percent of the "highly qualified" regular college students.

With so many colleges arbitrarily raising their admission "standards," these results are important. They throw doubt on the whole philosophy behind college admissions and indicate that a large proportion of the Nation's best talent is being lost and many capable and deserving veterans are being unjustly shut out of the colleges.

The Brown experiment ought to be considered carefully by the Veterans' Administration, by educators and by other public leaders with a view to making it a nationwide program.

—Philadelphia Inquirer

in addition to the regular selection by the various chapters. Prof. William T. Hastings of Brown was one of nine signers of a statement in opposition to the plan, published in *The Key Reporter* this summer.

Mrs. Arthur L. Philbrick died suddenly of a heart attack May 7 at the Philbrick's home, 8 Moses Brown St., in Providence. The class was represented at her funeral and expresses a collective sympathy.

**1904**

Herbert Stowell sends a new address at Room 616, 49 Westminster St., Providence, R. I.

John F. Woodman, who has retired, is now living at the B. P. O. Elks National Home in Bedford, Va.

Chester S. Allen, president of Lockwood Greene Engineers, Inc., of New York, is living at 71 W. 12th St., New York, N. Y.

**1905**

Miss Esther Goodwin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Sykes Goodwin of Ludlow, Vt., was recently married to the Rev. Felix Davis, Fall River pastor.

Rev. Harold G. Arnold has announced his retirement from the First Parish Unitarian Church of West Roxbury, Mass., after 35 years of service.

**1907**

Ben Graves of Brown & Sharpe Manufacturing Co. prepared a paper in May for delivery at the annual meeting of the American Society for Engineering Education in Minneapolis on "What the Machine Tool Industry Wants of Education." He was at the head table when the Brown Engineering Association held its May 23 dinner at the R. I. Yacht Club and spoke briefly.

Eugene DeMerritt is signal engineer for what he abbreviates as "the C. of Ga. Ry. Co." He is living at 125 Buford Place, Macon, Ga.

**1908**

Although Harry A. Ehmke had been ill for some time, word of his death came as a

*Again, the Veterans*

▶ BROWN UNIVERSITY'S widely-publicized Veterans College has again proved itself to be more than an uncertain educational experiment to meet the expediency of the moment. An announcement of the scholastic averages for the first semester of the current academic year shows the success of Brown's unique method of meeting its obligation in providing educational opportunity to 424 veteran men and women who were unable to satisfy the entrance requirements of the regular college.

The first semester scholastic average of the Veterans College, 2.0606, compares favorably with the average attained by members of the regular college, 2.3364. This numerical system of grading indicates that the average student in the veterans group is receiving quality grades of C or better.

At the beginning of the present semester 137 male students who had attained a scholastic average of 2.9 were transferred to the regular college. Three female students with an average of 3.17 were admitted to the regular sessions in Pembroke College. (Another 100 transfer this fall.)

This transfer occurred a year and one-half earlier than had been originally anticipated by the University officials and made possible the admittance of 155 additional men with the opening of the new term last February. The present enrollment of the Veterans College is 445.



shock. His widow wrote Roy Grinnell May 28 to report Harry's passing on March 12, 1947. Three sons and four grandchildren also survive. Mrs. Ehmke added, "May the Brown alumni and especially the class of '08 continue to be successful in all their undertakings." Her address: 108 Main St., Silver Creek, N. Y.

Having prepared for Brown at Moses Brown School, Ehmke was one of the leading athletes in the class, with letters in both baseball and football. He left after his Junior year to take up Forestry studies elsewhere. He has conducted a saw-milling and contracting business for many years. Three brothers, Frank '03, Charles '05, and Lester Ehmke '14, also attended Brown, while Murray Ehmke '37 is a nephew.

Carl H. Carson, who is sales promotion manager for the Precision Precast Concrete Building Slabs Co., is living at 728 Moana Cottages, Honolulu 11, T.H.

### 1909

For its Annual Reunion the Class of 1909 had a luncheon meeting Sunday afternoon, June 15, at the Rhode Island Country Club. A number of the members played golf but most conversed during the afternoon. In the evening the Class attended the Brown Dinner. Those present were Messrs. Sherwood, A. Manton Chace, Henderson, Sykes, Sweetland, Ward, Tinkham, Whitmarsh, Tanner, Wilmot, Poland, Chambers, Hollen, Wells, Ross, Nash, Connell, Connolly, Turner, Wheeler, Lasker, Leach, Curley, Don Jackson and Bugbee.

Ev. Manter has changed his address to 339 Lafayette Road, Portsmouth, N. H.

Harold High, after 27 years as Manager of Industrial Relations for the duPont Company, has retired. He is now occupying his Farm, "High Hopes", at Weston, Vt., where he expects to do a little farming and a little writing, and where he will welcome any '09ers passing by.

Billy Miller, past president of the Rhode Island Historical Society, made an address to the Society entitled, "Shepard Tom and the Narragansett Country," May 1.

James Hess, Jr., is professor and head of the English Department of the American College at the University of Madras in Madura, India.

### 36 Years as Superintendent

▶ AFTER 36 years as Superintendent of Public Schools in Wakefield, Mass., Willard B. Atwell '03 tendered his resignation recently, to take effect Jan. 1, 1948. Appearing before the School Committee he spoke feelingly of the joy he had experienced in his work. His life has been one of complete absorption in school affairs.

At the time of his resignation, Mr. Atwell had only one senior in point of service among Massachusetts superintendents. The School Committee paid high compliment to his service, noting great progress made during his years in office, as well as his gift in human relationships. He has recovered from serious illness, which prompted his decision to retire.

Col. Lawrence A. Atwell '39, former Brown football star, is one of his four sons, all of whom were officers in the war.



**PRESIDENT of the national alumni association of Phillips Exeter Academy is Royal W. Leith, former President of Brown's Associated Alumni.**

Dr. Moses L. Crossley attended the spring meeting of the Advisory Board of the Rutgers University Research Council. The Rutgers research budget this year is more than \$1,100,000, with \$600,000 of it in agriculture.

### 1910

Harold L'Amoureux is floor superintendent for the R. H. White Corp. in Boston. His address is 34 Elm St., Jamaica Plain 30, Mass.

Winfield Potter writes that he is principal of the High School in Foxboro, Mass.

Joseph Bliss sends his address at 123 Airemore Drive, New Rochelle, N. Y.

### 1911

Charles P. Sisson has been named general chairman of the 1947 Red Feather campaign of Rhode Island Community Chests.

### 1912

Dean George V. Kendall of Wabash College was one of the opponents of a proposal for membership-at-large, signing a statement against the plan in Phi Beta Kappa's Key Reporter this summer.

Dr. William L. Stidger, head of the department of homiletics at the Boston University School of Theology, was the principal speaker at the 113th annual commencement exercises of Vermont Junior College June 8.

### 1913

Clarence Philbrick has been re-elected chairman of the Friends of the Library of Brown University.

Commodore Leighton Bohl was recently honored at a dinner held by the Rhode Island Yacht Club.

### 1914

Morgan Rogers is living at Box 50, Wakefield, R. I. He is associated with Chas. H. Philbrick, Inc., in Providence.

Dr. George Rönne informs us that his present address is 49 Fountain St., Pawtucket, R. I.

### 1915

Dr. Ralph L. Blanchard of the Department of English at Brown University has

been promoted to associate professor. On leave of absence from Brown for military service since September, 1942, Professor Blanchard was advanced from Major to the rank of Lt. Col. upon his return to this country in December, 1945, after long Army duty overseas in Civil Affairs and Military Government. He was attached to the 101st Airborne Division when Holland was invaded, landing in that country by glider. He also held a Civil Affairs post in France, followed by a Military Government assignment in Germany where he was in charge of setting up several military tribunals.

During World War I Prof. Blanchard served as a Captain with the U. S. Army; was director and treasurer of The Angus Co. Ltd., Calcutta, India, from 1919 to 1922; and then taught at the Lawrenceville and Berkshire Schools until his appointment to Brown in 1930. He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa, the Mediaeval Academy of America, the Shakespeare Association of America, and the Modern Language Association of America. During the course of World War II, he sent back to Brown over 100 volumes of Nazi propaganda, salvaged from discards, former property of a publisher whose plant was then under his control. The material, consisting of history written as the Nazis wished it to be understood, was exhibited at the John Hay Library.

Louis M. Sweeney is living on Pine Hill Road, Pleasant Valley, N. Y. We were glad to learn this having been without a good address for him of late.

Don Dike was recently elected 1st Vice-President of the Massachusetts Teachers Federation. Don is principal of the High School in Athol, Mass., and will be a delegate to the National Education Association Convention in Cincinnati and the National Conference for Improved Teaching in Oxford, Ohio, this July.

Commodore George T. Paine retired last February after 30 years' service to enter the civilian engineering field.

Henry Drake is living at Clinton Corners, Dutchess County, N. Y.

### 1916

Harold I. Long, 22 years in Poughkeepsie, N. Y., is head of the English Department in the High School. His two boys are at Brown.

### 1917

Howard D. Williams of Rockland, Mass., has the sympathy of the class in that his wife died in May.

Col. Elmer Barnes sends us a corrected address: Headquarters, Second Army, Baltimore, Md.

### 1918

George C. Hull of the Providence Evening Bulletin attended the final seminar of the American Press Institute at Columbia.

Edward Butler, who writes that he is a business broker, is living at 4061 Hill St., Huntington Park, Calif.

### 1919

Beale M. Gordon writes to tell us that he has been released from active duty as Lieut. Comdr. after 66 months of active duty in the Navy. He is now associated with the A. E. Hunt Steel Co. in Boston and is living on Beach St., Wickford, R. I.

S. Watson Smith is archaeologist for the Peabody Museum at Harvard. His address is 18 Francis Ave., Cambridge, Mass.

### 1920

Arthur J. Frey, business manager of Wilson College, Chambersburg, Pa., has



**STEPHEN W. HOPKINS '21:** For Theta Delta Chi he heads up the New York Graduate Association and serves the Theta Delta Press as Secretary and Director. (Photo courtesy of *The Shield*.)

been named comptroller of the Rhode Island School of Design.

Dr. Marshall N. Fulton of Providence gave a paper on "Curable Heart Disease", at the 136th Annual Meeting of the Rhode Island Medical Society in May.

Dr. Herman A. Lawson has been appointed a member of the Board of Hospital Commissioners in Providence. Dr. Lawson is a specialist in internal medicine and during the war was commanding officer of the 48th Evacuation Hospital in the India-Burma sector.

Kenneth Bitting's son, Kenneth H. Bitting, Jr., recently became engaged to Miss Adelaide Hare Powel of Providence.

#### 1921

William W. Hall, who has been representing Standard Oil in Sweden, has been transferred to Italy, according to Everett Sweet of Poughkeepsie, whom Bill visited on his last trip home.

Harold L. Grindle, for whom we have lacked a good address for some time, is at Lake Mohonk, N. Y. in hotel management, we hear.

Dr. Arcadie Giura is a councillor of the recently organized Bristol County Medical Association in Rhode Island.

R. D. Standish, in Calcutta for the past six or eight months, is now on his way to Japan for the National City Bank.

Max Meyer is living in Jacksonville, Fla., P. O. Box 2610.

Marshall Cannell writes that he is vice-president of the Columbia Drug Products, Inc. in Providence. He is living here at 2 Ray St.

E. Standish Palmer has a new address at 821-A El Redondo St., Redondo Beach, Cal.

Coe S. Mills is now living at P. O. Box 552, Midland, Texas.

#### 1922

You read about these things in the papers, and once in a while they hit home. When the Eastern Airlines plane crashed

in Maryland May 30, Norman MacKay '22 was one of those who lost his life. Forty-seven years old, the commercial manager of Station WBAY in Coral Gables, Fla., he was going home after having accompanied Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker's party on its record-breaking Constellation flight to New York May 28.

Mr. MacKay had been director of advertising and programs for WQAM Miami for 15 years prior to July 1945 when he resigned that post. He was in Hollywood briefly but returned to Florida to help organize WIRA Fort Pierce, in September moving on to WBAY. He was past governor of the Florida Advertising Federation. His first post had been in the advertising department of the *Providence News* but went south for similar work on the staff of the *Miami Herald*. With Joseph Cotton, now of the films, Mr. MacKay took part in several productions of the Miami Civic Theatre and also served as its director. He was President of the First Nighters Club of Miami.

His fraternity was Delta Tau Delta. The former Harriet L. Seabury, Mrs. MacKay, survives him with two sons: Donald, a Navy veteran, and Douglas, honor graduate of Miami Senior High. WBAY dedicated a memorial quarter hour to Mr. MacKay on May 31.

Raymond Rich Associates and William Cherin Associates, congenial firms in the public relations field, have merged their interests and established Raymond Rich & William Cherin Associates. They offer counsel, research, and evaluation services to non-profit organizations and foundations on structure, policy, management, program, and educational promotion at 30 East 22nd St. Publication of the reference work, "American Foundations and Their Fields," will continue under the Associates, the sixth edition now being in preparation.

Lawrence Whitcomb has become President-Elect of the Pennsylvania Academy of Science and will take office at the 1948 Spring Meeting.

Louis Chick, who was formerly with Lever Brothers, Inc., has been appointed manager of the sales promotion department of the grocery division of Standard Brands, Inc.

Howard Cummings has announced the formation of a law partnership in Phila-

#### Cards' Scout "Snowbound"

► ANKLE-DEEP in snow as he sat on the grandstand at Pittsfield, Mass., Arthur S. Fox '23 was a disconsolate figure in the Associated Press wire-photo following April's freak storm. Although dressed in his baseball uniform, he looked glumly down at the overshoes he was also wearing. But his nine, the Pittsfield High School team, managed to play out its schedule just the same, winning 13 of 15 games and standing on the verge of a county championship (one victory needed) when he wrote at Commencement time.

In addition to his duties as head coach of football, baseball, and basketball at Pittsfield, the former Brown star has signed to scout for the St. Louis Cardinals this summer.

Art, Jr., had a fine year at Worcester Academy. Mr. and Mrs. Fox are counting on a return to Providence for 1923's 25th reunion next June.

delphia in the Provident Trust Building. The firm is Cummings, Stewart, and Palmer.

S. Watson Remington, Jr., is living at 37 Herman St., Glen Ridge, N. J. and is working with the Champlain Corp. in Bloomfield, N. J.

William Ryon, Jr., writes he is industrial engineer for the Ecusta Corp. in Brevard, N. C. His address is 174 Dorchester Ave., Ashville, N. C.

Albert Jeffers sends a new address at 353 Birch Ave., Mount Lebanon, Pgh. 16, Pa.

Kenilworth H. Mathus is manager of the Book Department of *Printers' Ink* at 205 East 42nd St., New York 17, N. Y. He was for a long time with *Popular Science*.

#### 1923

T. G. Simmons came east in June and spent the 20th and 21st in Providence, unfortunately missing Commencement by a hair. But some of his Brown contemporaries got together to give him and his fine family a welcome. Pete was a delegate to the June convention of Rotary International in California.

## Perelman on the Prowl ◀ ◀

► ► GLOBE-TROTTING (and pacing, too, probably) for Holiday magazine, S. J. Perelman '25 wrote from Penang, Malaya, in May to tell Vice-President Bigelow what travel was like these days:

"It demands a cast-iron stomach, an exchequer like the Bank of England, and an infinite capacity to withstand boredom," he said. "I was 53 days getting to Singapore from San Francisco and lay about Bangkok a month trying to badger the French into letting me cross into Indo-China. They wore out all the excuses about how dangerous Angkor Wat was, how I might be ambushed by the Vietnamese, and so forth, and finally as much as admitted that they don't want anyone with a type-writer to snoop around their private war. It was a pity; I would have liked to see their Foreign Legionnaires, most of whom are ex-members of the Afrika Korps and revel through the streets of Saigon shout-

ing "Sieg Heil" and chanting the Horst Wessel song . . .

"Next jump from this little stronghold of British colonial power is Ceylon and Bombay; I hope to spend a month in Baroda, Jaipur, New Delhi, and Kashmir, and after that head for Nairobi in East Africa. If the tse-tse fly (or still worse, English cooking) doesn't get me, I ought to be in Paris by September 1st and home by early October.

"Watch for somebody closely resembling Trader Horn, with a mahogany-colored face, a tarry pigtail, and a rolling walk. In the meanwhile, all my best, and please tell Kappy (cryptic though it may sound) that I wish I'd paid more attention to Winslow's Geography back at the Candace Street Grammar School. As it is, all I know now about the principal exports of Malaya are rubber, copra, and—er—ignoramuses like myself."



Mrs. Albert E. Mulliken, acknowledging Bill McCormick's note of sympathy at her husband's death, writes of her family. Harry, the oldest son, is a Marine, serving at Pearl Harbor, and wants to study forestry later. John has finished his Freshman year at Fort Lewis, a branch of Colorado A. & M. College, but hopes to transfer to Denver University and become a lawyer. There are two daughters as well. Mrs. Mulliken is teaching in the high school at Silverton, Colo.

Frank E. Fahlquist spoke on "Geology Applied to Engineering" before a Brown geology seminar in May.

*Surgery for April* publishes a description of a new operative technique developed by Dr. Daniel V. Troppoli. His method of repairing incisional hernia reduces fat dissection and operative time, giving a firm repair of the hernia. In calling this to our attention, Larry Lanpher writes: "It really is something to have a new technique accepted by the American Medical Association, and this one has brought Dan nationwide recognition." Dr. Troppoli is currently secretary of the Providence Medical Association, serving under Dr. Guy Wells '16.

Dwight Bartlett's son Harlan is headed for Brown this fall. A former Exeter crew man, the boy is also a nephew of Norman Ballou of our class.

George H. Young has been elected President of the New Bedford Bar Association, following 10 years as Secretary. The *Standard Times* commented that he "brings to the presidency a genial and even disposition, as well as executive and legal ability." A member of the bar for 20 years, he has been active in Inter-Church Council and Community Chest efforts.

For the first time in many years Theodore R. Jeffers missed the Commencement festivities because he was attending the National Convention of the American Dental Trade Association in Banff in June. As a member of the Association's Analysis Committee he presented the important report to the Convention as to the year's business throughout the country in the trade.

Noyes C. Stickney writes that he is representative for the F. E. Compton Publishing Co. of Chicago. He is located at 1176 Woodbury Ave., Portsmouth, N. H.

Donald Armstrong sends us his address at R.F.D. 11, Box 21, Richmond 24, Va. Don is working in the Government Cold Storage Warehouse in Richmond. Officially, it's "War Department, Quartermaster Market Center, Perishable Subsistence."

#### 1924

Gordon Ritchie, Jr., newly installed as secretary of the Brown Club of Western Pennsylvania, notes with some satisfaction

that his classmates, William A. Dyer and Earle C. Drake, hold similar posts in the Brown Clubs of Indiana and Syracuse, respectively. Gordon is agent for the National Liberty Insurance Company of America with offices at 820 Investment Building, Pittsburgh 22, Penn.

Clarence C. Chaffee has been re-appointed assistant professor of physical education at Williams College for a three year term.

Frank Ring, Staff Personnel Assistant of Wm. Filene's Sons in Boston, came down to Brown recently to give placement information to those interested in department store management, merchandising, and publicity.

#### Who Paid for It?

▶ TYPICAL of new activity through class agencies was a letter sent to members of 1937 by William R. Hulbert, Jr., chairman of the 10th reunion gift committee:

"Who paid for your education at Brown?" he began. "Not you—at most you paid only half the bill. The balance came from the generous gifts of others who had gone before. Now you and I have an opportunity to participate in a plan to make Brown a finer place for those who follow us: The Housing and Development Program will expand Brown's physical facilities to a point deserved and required by the University's top ranking educational position."

Recognizing the success of the Housing campaign to be the most important goal of the College today, the Class of 1937 has decided to give no special 10th reunion gift. Instead, "1937's gift will be the sum

Edson C. Lockwood and his family are returning to Ceylon, according to the *Alumni News* at Mt. Hermon School, where he has been head of the department of mathematics for several years. "The contribution to the social and religious life of Hermon made by Mr. and Mrs. Lockwood will always be a stimulating recollection to their many friends here," said the magazine.

W. Easton Louttit's collection of material on the legend of the Wandering Jew made an interesting feature story in a recent *Providence Sunday Journal*.

Melvin Apple, who has been fighting a losing battle with our mailing stencils, writes to assure us that he is really living at

total of our contributions to the Building Drive." Hulbert continued: "Except for individual memorials (which you are free to give), every cent donated will be credited to our Class, and the housing-unit financed by our combined contributions will become a permanent memorial to Classmates killed in the war."

Class rivalry showed in the announcement that 1937 was well ahead of either 1936 or 1938. The showing was possible because of the number of gifts of \$100 or more, since less than one-fifth of the Class of '37 had pledged, Hulbert reported. He asked for commitments by June "so that we may announce at the reunion the size and nature of the building unit to be given by us." His slogan: "A gift to '37 is a gift to Brown—a gift to Brown is a gift to '37."

Frank L. Milan has been named high priest of the Pine Tree Royal Arch Chapter of Masons in Stonington, Me.

Mahlon Meier writes that he is living at 1812 G St. N.W., Washington, D. C., and is counsel for the R.F.C.

Earl C. Wilson is an engineer for C. W. Blakeslee & Sons in New Haven, Conn. He is living there at 794 Townsend Ave.

#### 1925

Col. Charles H. Morhouse completed his year of studies at Harvard in June, had orders calling for a few months in Washington on special assignment, and then will head for Randolph Field to serve on the faculty of the School of Aviation Medicine. When he received his Harvard degree of Master of Public Health, Ty acted as marshal for his School in the Commencement exercises.

82 Rock St., Whitman, Mass. He adds that he is presently engaged as Industrial Engineer for the National Chair of Whitman, Mass.

Llewellyn B. Van Doren sends a new address at 108 Glenbrook Rd., Morris Plains, N. J.

#### 1926

Two members of the class are currently on the faculty of the Associated Colleges of Upper New York. Frank B. Mitchell, who took his A.M. in 1926, is an associate professor of modern languages at Champlain College, Plattsburg. Isaak D. Orleans is an assistant professor of English at Sampson College, near Geneva, N. Y.

Edward C. Muhlhausen was nominated in May as a candidate for School Trustee in Hartsdale, N. Y. Mr. Muhlhausen is a member of the Empire Trust Co. of New York and has been active in civic affairs in Hartsdale.

Stanley Hunt, Lt. Comdr. in the Navy during World War II, has opened an office for consultation on personnel and labor problems in Worcester, Mass.

Paul A. Williams is teaching in the Brookline High School, Brookline, Mass. His address is 82 Bound Brook Rd., Newton Hills, Mass.

Theodore Hunt is minister of music in the Presbyterian Church in Columbus, Ind.

Edmund Leeds, Jr., is northern representative for the W. R. C. Smith Publishing Co. He can be reached at 5 Everett St., Cambridge, Mass.

#### Events Between the Walls

▶▶ A MEMBER of the class of 1919, a man with a good classical and Classical background, read with interest the announcement from the Providence Brown Club that it would hold its annual outing at the Wannamoisett on May 22. He also noted that Westcott Moulton would talk on "Inter-mural Sports."

The alumnus wrote: "According to my Century Unabridged, while Intramural sports relate to contests within walls, Intermural sports concern events between walls. This should accordingly be both a unique and interesting discourse. Among Intermural events which offhand occur to me are:

"1. Shadow-casting. 2. Loss of face. 3. Outpointing. 4. Who cast the first brick? 5. Intercoping. 6. Coursing. 7. Mortarification. 8. Footing. 9. Archery."

In replying, we told him his letter had left us "wall-eyed." And, although innocent of the announcement, we did hope the Club did a good vallum of business. In conclusion, we told the feller to go to Walla Walla.

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Horace F. Altman is housing management adviser for the Federal Public Housing Authority in Boston. His address is Argilla Rd., Ipswich, Mass.

We learn that Dr. James H. Peers is with the Division of Pathology of the National Institute of Health at Bethesda, Md.

Philip Jordan is manager of the Four Flags Hotel in Los Angeles, Cal.

Elon Notley, living at 434 N. 20th St., Phoenix, Ariz., is an adjuster for the Aetna Co. in Phoenix.

Charles H. Stickel has a new address: Box No. 427, Manassas, Va.

### 1927

Wendell S. Fielding is the new chairman of the Pittsfield Section of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers, taking office June 1. He is administrative assistant in the Power Transformer Engineering Division, General Electric Company, and has been with GE since graduation. His first assignments were to tests in Lynn, Schenectady, and Pittsfield; then in the Motor Engineering Section, in the High Voltage lab. For 17 years he served in the Personnel Division, being put in charge of technical placements until promotion to his present post. I. H. Gamwell '96 was our informant.

R. Allan Johnston writes us that he was discharged from the Air Corps and is now teaching English and Biology at Hopkins Grammar School, New Haven, Conn. He expects to take his M.A. degree from Yale this June.

William Kraemer is with the Motor Sales Co., Bel Air, Md.

Roy F. Nelson is director of grease research for the Texas Co. He is living in Port Arthur at 3207 13th St.

John C. Aisthorpe is merchandise manager for Sears Roebuck & Co. in Memphis, Tenn. His home address there is 649 University St.

Alan P. Fort is living at 6 Devon Rd., Noroton Heights, Darien, Conn. He is working in New York City as manager of statistics and research for the S-M News Co.

Thornton W. Trimble is auditor for the S. H. Kress & Co. in New York. His address: 77-12 35th Ave., Jackson Heights, N. Y.

Fred H. Van Duyn is district manager for Near's Food Co., Inc. in Shelby, N. C. He is living there at 706 Blanton St.

Wesley Martin is president of the Martin Motor Sales Co. in Fenton, Mich.

Merritt Seymour is engineer and office manager for the J. J. White Mfg. Co., in Providence. His home is at 3129 Pawtucket Ave., Riverside 15, R. I.

Ralph Fulton is an engineer for the U. S. Rubber Co. in New York City. He address: 181 Meadow St., Naugatuck, Conn.

John McGeeney, who was with the Columbia University Division of War Research, is now with the N. Y. Telephone Co. He is living at 113 Vanderbilt Rd., Manhasset, N. Y.

John G. Dow is living at 195 River Rd., Grand-View-on-Hudson, N. Y. He is working in New York City with the Standard Foods Co.

John A. Taylor is senior field representative for the New Jersey Department of Economic Development. He can be reached at Box 17, Titusville, N. J.

Lewis Wilson is secretary of the Wilson & English Construction Co. in New York City. He is living in New Rochelle, N. Y., at 46 Fifth Ave.



**NORMAN MacKAY**

Photo courtesy, Broadcasting

### Phone Call from Miami

▶ WHEN THE 1922 REUNION was at its height in Sakonnet Saturday evening, June 14, there was a phone call from Miami, Fla. "This is Mrs. Norman MacKay," said a voice.

Norman MacKay '22, Florida radio executive, had been killed only a few weeks before in the Maryland plane crash. And his widow wanted to tell the class how much Norman had counted on attending the 25th reunion. She wanted to send her greeting to them all.

"That took grit," said one of the group when the message was shared.

New address for Clinton Sweet: 254 North Broadway, Yonkers, N. Y.

### 1928

Just back from Bombay, Walter Shackleton checked in at Washington in May. In India for OWI, he was in charge of the U. S. Information Service. One incident was the riot of several hundred Indians outside his agency's library in February, 1946, when an American flag was burned. Shackleton is reported to be hopeful of returning to India for the State Department.

H. Clinton Owen has recently been named administrative assistant to Mayor Dennis J. Roberts of Providence. Owen previously was manager of the Union Mutual Life Insurance Co. here.

The Very Rev. Duncan Fraser has resigned as dean of the Cathedral of St. John in Providence and has accepted the pastorate of Christ Church in Cooperstown, N. Y.

Julian L. Solinger has been promoted from assistant professor to associate professor of biology at Simmons College in Boston.

Holdsworth G. Minnigerode is now consul to the American Consulate at Karachi, India.

Richard A. Chase is now overseas as an army librarian. His present address is

MARBO Library Depot Hq., APO 246, San Francisco, Cal.

George D. Eggleston, president of the Triple Cities Builders Supply Co., can be addressed at P.O. Box 1031, Binghamton, N. Y.

Charles R. Consodine will continue this fall as teacher and coach at the Newton High School, Newtonville, Mass.

John F. Fellows is with the American Cyanamid Co. in New York City.

Dave Jacobs is living at 126 Elm St., Woodmere, Long Island, and is practicing law with Finke, Jacobs, and Hirsch in New York City.

Paul Bonyng, Jr., is assistant treasurer of the Bankers Trust Co. in New York City. He is living at 1 Grace Court, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Samuel Levy is an attorney in Philadelphia with the firm of Wolf, Black, Schorr, & Solis-Cohen. He is living at 415 Shoemaker Rd., Elkins Park, Pa.

Alexander Buchmann is in the investing business in Santa Monica, Cal. His address: Sovereign Apts., Santa Monica, Cal.

Sanford Friedman, who was a major in the Air Corps, is now an executive with the Hecht Co. in Washington, D. C.

Dr. Louis Pomiansky is practicing dentistry at 93 Eddy St. in Providence.

William Pardee is title man with the Atlantic Refining Co. in Dallas, Texas. His address is 3549 Haynie, Dallas 5, Texas.

Some current addresses: John S. Brookfield, 331 State St., Grove City, Pa.; John L. Frank, 171 Walnut St., Lynbrook, N. Y.; Frederick B. Agard, 408 N. Cayuga St., Ithaca, N. Y.; Francis Plumb, 161 Rutland Rd., Glen Rock, N. J.; Dr. Irving Barnes, 21 W. Concord St., Dover, N. H.; Richard D. Heins, 43 Webster St., Malverne, Long Island, N. Y.; Harry Lynch, 375 Riverside Drive, New York, N. Y.

### 1929

Morrison Sharp writes that he is associate professor of the Social Sciences and head of the department at Northland College, in Ashland, Wis.

Claude Belknap, with the R. I. Hospital Trust Co. as assistant trust officer, is living in Rumford at 129 Center St.

Bill Cavanagh is managing a restaurant in Atlanta, Ga.

John Hinrichs is located in Waterbury, Conn., where he is district manager for the Mack Motor Truck Co. He adds that he is now building a new home in Middlebury, Conn.

Bradford Clark is a bacteriologist for the Water Purification Plant at Scituate, R. I. His home address is 1745 Westminister St., Providence.

Walter Gaw writes that he is assistant professor at the School of Business Administration of the College of the City of New York and also research associate of the Committee on Consumer Relations in Advertising. His home is at P.O. Box 580, Bayville, Long Island.

We learn that Major John P. Dickson, USMCR, is expected to return to the States in the near future.

George E. Hummel, Jr., president of the David Hummel Building Co., writes us from 3112 Victoria Boulevard, Cincinnati.

Myron Smith is doing sales promoting for the Rhode Island Ice Co. His home is in Providence at 22 Savoy St.

Pemberton L. Killeen is a geologist with the U. S. Geological Survey in Washington, D. C. He is living at 5601 5th St. South, Arlington, Va.



Harold Cole is an attorney in the office of Alley, Cole, Grimes & Friedman in New York City. His address: 1088 Park Ave., New York, N. Y.

Joseph O'Connell, Jr., is living at 41 Intervale Rd., Providence. He is president and treasurer of a local woolen mill.

Emil Balzerini writes that he is with the Prudential Life Insurance Co. as assistant manager in Jersey City. His home address: 2020 West St., Union City, N. J.

Dr. E. Kenneth Carpenter is associate professor and head of the Psychology department at the University of Massachusetts at Fort Devens.

Frank Snow, Jr., is assistant manager of export sales for the Anaconda Wire & Cable Co. in New York City.

J. B. Cauvet writes that he is managing the California Hotel in Santa Monica, Cal.

Some '29 addresses: Philip A. White, River Park Apts. No. 4C, White Plains, N. Y.; John Abbott, 902 Summit Ave., Westfield, N. J.; James Archibald, Jr., 1501 Mahantongo St., Pottsville, Pa.; Roswell Burchard, Jr., 3066 Porter St., N.W., Washington, D. C.; A. Michael Basile, 350 W. 25th St., Apt. 2D, New York 1, N. Y.; Byron Romero, Arlington, Vt.; R. P. Sterritt, c/o Montgomery Ward & Co., 13th St. & 7th Ave., Beaver Falls, Pa.

## 1930

When Bruce Bigelow took his whirl through the United States he picked up some vagrant information about the members of the Class of 1930. For instance, while we knew that Don Flynn was busy and active in Kansas City, we did not know that Sam Henry had decided to go out there to make it his headquarters.

In St. Louis Johnny Mosby and Rod Meyer attended the St. Louis functions so that the Class of 1930 was well represented.

Another bit of news bobbed up in the fact that Norman McCabe is head of the Federal Bureau of Investigation in Indiana. These data were missing from our files until the Bigelow's visitation to Indianapolis brought them to light. We are glad to see that Charlie Menges, the able illustrator, and Freddy Crescitelli, the equally able scientist, both appeared at the Los Angeles meeting, which indicates there is a little life still left in the Class of 1930.

Another comment buried in the ALUMNI News last month was that Johnny McFadden is apparently developing into an after dinner speaker in that he was supposed to be the "piece de resistance" at the Girl Scout Banquet in Evanston, but unfortunately he had the "flu".

Phil Lingham's father has been seriously ill at the New England Baptist Hospital. Phil reports he is as busy as a one-armed paper hanger down at the Westinghouse Manufacturing Company, Nuttall plant, in Pittsburgh.

HAL CARVER

## 1931

Alden Walls is now headman with the Manton Mills of the American Woolen Co. at 993 Manton Ave., Providence. He was promoted from his work for the same company at the National and Providence Worsted Mills.

Bradford C. Jones is geologist for the Union Oil Co. He is living at 1519 W. 59th St., Los Angeles 44, Cal.

Galen Hall is practicing law with the firm of Brady & Daly in Newark, N. J. His home is at 135 Hillside Ave., Glen Ridge, N. J.

Ray Ely is manager of the New England Tel. & Tel. Co. in Quincy, Mass.

Joe Coleman is with the Maiden Form Brassiere Co. in New York City. His address is 5051 Iselin Ave., New York 63, N. Y.

Laurence Reid writes that he is manager of the Art Jewelry Co. in Plymouth, Mass. His home is at School St., Kingston, Mass.

Milton Kingsley is with the Providence Lithograph Co. and is living in Cranston at 84 Colonial Ave.

John J. Green is sales engineer for the Arizona Steel Building Supply Co. in Tucson, Arizona. His home is at 444 East Kelso St., Tucson, Ariz.

Paul Wicks is living at 10 Austin Ave., Albany, N. Y. He tells us he is production superintendent for the National Bakery Division of the A & P Tea Co.

Jack Kellman writes he is vice-president and sales manager of the Natco Inc. in New York City. His home address is 160 W. 87th St., New York, N. Y.

Other '31 addresses: John Aiso, 112 North San Pedro St., Los Angeles, Cal.; John Gillies, 1562 33d St., N.W., Washington, D. C.; Joseph Coleman, Bayville, N.Y.; William Hardy, 6 Walk St., Lacey Park, Hattshoro, Pa.; Sam Flora, 1001 S. Oakland St., Pasadena, Cal.; Maurice Bragg, 117 Hope St., Providence, R. I.; Robert Robertson, Teepee Lodge, Big Horn, Wyo.; Wilbur Frost, 308 Lyman Bldg., Muskegon, Mich.

## 1932

C. Hollister Ludd, Jr., writes us that



**NORMAN R. SINGLETON '34:** As Direct Mail Manager of Macy's, New York, he points with pride to the store-wide spring circular, the largest ever published, mailed to 300,000 customers. He handles all magazine ads, catalogues, circulars, daily handbills, etc., having been in his present post since October. *Sparks*, Macy house organ which kindly provided the photo above, gave these personal highlights: "Born on Friday the 13th, 1913, without superstitions; spoke Welsh, Lancashire, Irish and Connecticut Yankee dialects at an early age; main ambition is to visit England, specifically Ostlewtistle, to see if it's really there."

he is president of Expeditions Unlimited in Summerville, S. C.

James Roe is working as Internal Revenue Agent for the Treasury Department in Providence. He is living in Taunton, Mass., at 56 Prospect St.

Frank Rook is assistant national advertising manager for The Providence Journal Co. His home is at 33 Hazelwood St., Cranston, R. I.

Albert Barden, Jr., is chairman of the department of zoology and instructor in zoology at the University of Maine.

John Caulkins is with the Swiss Bank Corporation in New York City. His mailing address is 333 East 53d St., New York, N. Y.

Henri Beziat is immigrant inspector with the Immigration & Naturalization Service in Galveston, Texas. His home is at 5317 Borden Ave., Galveston, Tex.

Some current addresses: David Salmon, Shelton Hotel, Lexington Ave. & 49th St., New York, N. Y.; David Lider, Northville, N. Y.; Dr. E. J. Mulligan, 5600 Hartford Rd., Baltimore, Md.

Of Gordon Pyper's work as director of admissions at Mt. Hermon School, the ALUMNI NEWS said in June: "Practically every vacancy for the Fall term is filled; but stacks of applications still stand in Mr. Pyper's files. We think that Mr. Pyper, assisted by Mr. McVeigh, has done a wonderful job. These two men, snowed under by an impossible load of work, still smile and quite adequately get the job done."

## 1933

Harry R. Chernock, Senior Attorney with the Federal Security Agency, is also teaching the course in Trusts at the National University School of Law, Washington, D. C. After three years in the Navy as a Lt., Harry is living with his family at 2703 8th St., South, Arlington, Va. There are two children—Joan, 3½, and Stephen, 1.

Dr. Ezekiel Limmer has been out of the Army for a year (he was a Capt., AUS). Since then, he has been with the War Assets Administration in Washington as Chief of its Management Section. He received his Ph.D. in economics at American University in 1942.

H. F. Newkirk sends us a new address at 7639 W. Clarke St., Wauwatosa 13, Wis. He's in real estate.

Dr. Newell R. Kelley has withdrawn from general practice and has accepted a full time position with the medical department of the Phoenix Mutual Life Insurance Co. in Hartford.

Charles Swartz is running for a position on the Taunton School Committee.

We hear that F. Jackson Hauser is engaged in a business of his own in Bermuda.

Thomas F. Gilbane is president of the R. I. Chapter of the Associated Contractors of America.

Preston D. Mitchell sends a new address at 25280 Shore View Drive, Euclid 23, Ohio.

Thomas G. Webber is a chemist in the Deepwater, N. J., laboratory of the Dupont Co. He is living, with his wife and two children, at 8 So. Monroe Ave., Wenonah, N. J.

Alan Hovey writes that he is the owner of Hovey's Beach and Lodges in Newport, Vt. He adds that during the winter he is a coach and teacher in Newport Center, Vt.

Al Hiorns tells us to drop the military title and describes himself as back on the job as Production Manager of WAAB in

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Worcester. Al was two years in the Navy and served as a Radar Operator.

Dr. Arnold Newcomb has his practice in Berkley, Mich.

Edward Taylor is an electrical engineer at the U. S. Naval Shipyard in Brooklyn. He is living at 231 Foster Ave., Valley Stream, N. Y.

Arthur Brown is with the Liberty Mutual Insurance Co. in Philadelphia. His home address is 1318 Edge Hill Road, Lansdowne Park, Darby, Pa.

Charles J. Schiele, Jr., is living at 60 Granvie Drive, Belleville, Ill.

Dr. Robert Van Wart is practicing osteopathy in Winthrop, Me.

Jack Crusoe is a salesman for the Mack Truck Co. in Providence. Jack lives in Greenwood, R. I., at 93 Myrtle Ave.

Richard Buzzell is with Barrington Associate, Inc. in New York City and lives there at 86 W. 12th St.

Herbert Simpson writes that he was released from the Army with the rank of Captain in January, 1946, and is now office manager for the Airlines Negotiating Committee in New York City.

William A. Semmes is sales manager for the Eastman Motors, Inc. in Stamford, Conn.

John M. Wilson is Director of Employee Relations for the United Fuel Gas Co. in Charleston, W. Va.

J. Stewart Rigby is a field dealer for the Wear-Ever Aluminum Co. in Montpelier, Vt.

Edward H. Quillan is living at R.F.D. 2, East Greenwich, R. I.

Henry Holland, with John N. Holland & Co. in New York, is living at 27 Belvedere Place, Yonkers, N. Y.

Charles G. Quinn is an army officer, stationed at the New York Port of Embarkation. His home address: 125 Seaman Ave., New York, N. Y.

George H. Stauffer is treasurer of the Crown Oil & Wax Co. in Frederick, Md.

Bernard Spector is teaching in the Fillmore Union High School, Fillmore, Calif.

F. J. Keefer is a salesman for the Chase Brass and Copper Co. in Rochester, N. Y. He is living at 71 Fuller Ave., Webster, N. Y.

### 1934

Harry Jackson has been elected vice-president and director of G. H. Jackson Co., a general insurance brokerage in New York City.

Ben Holmes is working for the Providence Journal Co. as copy editor in the news room. His home is at 8½ Pratt St., Providence, R. I.

Harry Kurtz, Jr., writes that he is manager of the United Command Sales Co. at 934 S. Maple St., Los Angeles, Cal.

Kenneth Hampson is a lecturer in industrial management at Hofstra College in Hempstead, N. Y.

Alan DeWitt is now assistant department head of the Montgomery Ward Co. in Albany, N. Y. His address is R.F.D. No. 1, Rensselaer, N. Y.

Richard Millard notifies us that he is assistant buyer of piece goods for the Jordan, Marsh Co. in Boston. He is living at 239 Beacon St., Boston, Mass.

New addresses: Randolph C. Rounds, Box 1084, North Attleboro, Mass.; John Pennell, 97 North St., Hamden, Conn.

Walter Gager, D.D.S., is practicing dentistry at 506 N. Larchmont Blvd., Los Angeles, Cal.



**THE MAN WHO GAVE Andrews House was honored at Commencement, with Chaplain Washburn and Dr. Wriston taking part in the exercises. (Story on page 9.)**

James MacKintosh writes he is assistant supervisor of the Travelers Insurance Company Agency Field Service. He is living at 130 Maple St., Wethersfield, Conn.

George R. Payne, no longer Lt., USNR, is now at 1845 Stewart Ave., New Hyde Park, N. Y.

Edward S. Jones, 2nd, is a member of the firm of Jones & Dane (Earle B. Dane, Jr., '41) engaged in export-import trade with China. The partners saw much military service there during the war.

Jerome M. Herman is completing his first year on the staff of the Personnel Service, Veterans Administration Branch No. 1, in Boston, although living in Providence still, at 21 Duncan Ave. His post followed naturally his last work in military service: he was vocational adviser at Camp Edwards Convalescent Hospital until Feb. 23, 1946. Mr. and Mrs. Herman (she was Rosalind Rakusin) are the proud parents of year-old twins—Harriet Leslie and Sheila Carol, born May 7, 1946.

Dr. Harold L. Dean of the English faculty at Marietta College in Ohio will be promoted from instructor to assistant professor, effective Sept. 1. This Vermonter received his Ph.D. at Brown in 1943 before going west.

Elbridge Taylor is an inspector for the Western Electric Co. in Haverhill, Mass. Herbert Molden can be reached at 233 Summer St., New Bedford, Mass.

George Farrell is working for the Boston Herald-Traveler and is living in Wellesley Hills.

William Thrall writes he is a special agent for the Republic Insurance Co. in New York. His home address is 18 Gedney Park Drive, White Plains, N. Y.

John Given, Jr., retired from business, is now living in New York at the Park Central Hotel.

L. Richard Fried is in the import-export line with Ecimex Co., Inc., in New York City. He lives at the Sagamore Farm, Stamford, Conn.

Harold Sauers is vice-president of the Wico Electric Co. in West Springfield, Mass. His home is in Suffield, Conn.

York A. King, Jr., sends us a new address: 156 N. 22nd St., Philadelphia, Pa.

We hear that Robert Arnott is now in San Juan, Puerto Rico.

Caesar M. Danesi is sales engineer for the Griscom Russell Co. in Chicago. A card gives us his home address at 4461 Franklin Ave., Western Springs, Ill.

Richard Millard writes that he is living at 239 Beacon St. in Boston, where he is an assistant buyer for Jordan Marsh Co.

Dr. Walter C. Lobitz, Jr., is on the staff of the Hitchcock Clinic in Hanover, N. H., and also instructs in dermatology and syphilology at the Dartmouth Medical School.

Edwin B. Brown has left the Rhode Island School of Design and is now at Alfred University, Alfred, N. Y.

Nestor W. Wawro, M.D., is practicing in Hartford, Conn.

Gordon Carr is sales manager for the E. A. Erickson Monumental Works in Quincy, Mass. His home address: 9 Ryden St. in Quincy.

Louis Hand is doing design engineering for the Thurston Mfg. Co. in Providence.

Warren J. Green writes he is director of student activities at Sampson College, Sampson, N. Y.

Alexander Resko, Jr., is doing production management work with the Viscose Corporation of America in Lewistown, Pa.

Eugene O. Swayne sends us his address as Route 1, McHenry, Ill.

We learn that Rev. Harold A. Carlson was a chaplain and is now pastor of the Covenant Church in Garney, Cal.

Rev. Knight W. Dunkerley has been Chaplain and Master at the Hoosac School, Hoosick, N. Y. since last September.

### 1935

The sympathy of the class is extended to Mr. and Mrs. D. Gerald Ferry, whose five year old son, Thomas Hand Ferry, was



killed by a milk truck in front of the Ferry home in May. The family lives at R.F.D. No. 1, Wyckoff, N. J.

Simon England, Jr., has been named head of the mercantile section of the Pittsfield, Mass., YMCA World Youth Fund campaign.

Dr. William Lochenstein is working in Washington with the Bureau of Standards and can be reached at 4108 Ingomar St., Washington 15, D. C.

Ralph Walker is a men's clothes buyer for the G. Fox & Co. Department Store in Hartford, Conn. His address: 65 Flagg Rd., West Hartford, Conn.

Tom Carberry writes us from the Canal Zone where he is chief of the personnel section of the Special Engineering Division of the Panama Canal. His address: Box 1211, Diablo Heights, Canal Zone.

Donald W. Moores is working for the Internal Revenue Bureau in Newark, N. J. as U. S. Storekeeper and Gauger of the alcohol tax unit. He is living at 1 Franklin St., Penns Grove, N. J.

Vincent Reade, Jr., is assistant operating manager for the Whitehead Metal Products Co. in New York City. He is living at 81 Walgrove Ave., Dobbs Ferry, N. Y.

Some recent addresses: Warren Groce, Provident Mutual Life Ins. Co., 10 South LaSalle St., Chicago 3, Ill.; James Staniels, R.F.D. No. 1, Laconia N. H.; Robert Loeb, Jr., Pegasus Books Inc., 185 No. Wabash Ave., Chicago, Ill.; Robert Silton, 21 Rye Road, Rye, N. Y.; Richard Hill, 48 Franklin Square, New Britain, Conn.

Raymond Miller is research engineer for the Federal Products Co. in Providence.

William Wentworth is maintenance supervisor for the Yellow Cab Co. in Providence.

Gordon Salmonsens is general manager of the Wiehl Nash, Inc. in Bridgeport, Conn. His home address is 269 Puritan Rd., Fairfield, Conn.

Howard Low is with the New York Trust Co. in New York City and is living in Yonkers at 563 South Broadway.

Tilden B. Mason directed a recent production of "The Late George Apley," put on by "The Players" in Providence. Mr. Mason is research assistant for the R. I. Public Expenditure Council.

### 1936

The parishioners of Christ Church, Providence, honored their rector, Rev. Genio Scaringi, at a reception in May. They presented him a communion set for

### Insight for Magnolia

▶ THE FIRST ELECTRON microscope in Texas, of the most powerful type in the world, is being used by Dr. Paul Reichertz of Dallas, senior physicist of the Magnolia Petroleum Co. who received his Ph.D. from Brown in 1943 and helped develop wartime radar. The instrument, 50 times as powerful as the best optical microscope, permits the scientist to get pictures of tiny objects magnified 100,000 times.

The particles of matter studied by Dr. Reichertz are so tiny that if they were ranged in single file it would take  $2\frac{1}{2}$  million of them to form a line an inch long. Yet study and classification of them will mean billions of dollars to Texas' greatest industry, says the *Dallas Daily Times*.

### The Time of Night

▶ YOU CAN NOW LEARN the "time of night" after dark on the Brown campus. Since early February the clock on Wilson Hall has been illuminated, much to general satisfaction. Although provision for illumination was made in the original installation, no use of the lighting seems to have been made until Superintendent Davenport explored the possibility recently.

use in sick calls. Mr. Scaringi is also a member of the staff of chaplains for the Rhode Island State Institutions.

Rev. Albert W. Low was recently ordained to the Catholic priesthood in Boston. Fr. Low celebrated his first Mass at St. Joseph's Church in Lynn on May 11.

Dr. Abraham Binder has announced the opening of his office in Lynn, Mass. Dr. Binder will be specializing in diseases of the skin.

Dr. Samuel Bojar, who was with the Army Medical Corps for three years, is now a member of the resident staff of the Boston Psychopathic Hospital.

William George writes to tell us of the birth of his first child, William E. George, and to announce a change of address to 9 Ashton St., Pawtucket.

Conrad Green is an architect in the office of Albert Harkness in Providence. He is living at 109 Wilson Ave., Rumford.

Dr. Robert W. Wilson is working with the Veterans Administration in Maine as medical rating specialist. His address: 73 Winthrop St., Augusta, Me.

Louis Novak, Lt. Comdr. in the U.S.M.S. Medical Corps, is now in San Francisco.

New addresses: Albert Dykes, 49 Fairway Lane, Manhasset, L. I., N. Y. Frederick May, 6 Williams Terrace, Bellows Falls, Vt.; Dr. Frank Ziobrowski, Health Service, University of Michigan, 207 Fletcher Ave., Ann Arbor. Dr. B. B. Mongillo, 574 Angell St., Providence.

Stewart Anderson lectured recently at the Boston Public Library on "15,000 Miles in a Modern Covered Wagon", an account of a camping trip covering 30 states, three Canadian provinces, and part of Mexico.

Dr. Clarence D. Hawkes is now practicing neurological surgery in Memphis, Tenn. He is also an Assistant in Neurosurgery and Neurology in the University of Tennessee Medical School. His address: Forrest Park Hotel, 22 North Main Street, Methis, Tenn.

Lt. Comdr. Leon Eisman, USNR, has been recalled to active duty and is with the Epidemiology Unit No. 24, N.O.B., Norfolk, Va.

The last address we can find for Frederick Adams is 7320 Austin St., Forest Hill, N. Y.

Pfc. Ed Siegmann is a patient in the Murphy General Hospital, Waltham, Mass. Ed, who was wounded in the December of 1944, expects to be discharged and back in New York by fall.

Dr. Minot Fryer is practicing in St. Louis. His home address: 5000 Waterman Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

Bill Griffin is teaching at the Stonington High School, Stonington, Conn. He is living at 183 West Broad St., Westerly, R. I.

George Munde is living at 407 Dakota St., Norman, Okla.

Jim Maiden, formerly an Army captain, is now at the Glen Cove (N. Y.) High School where he is an instructor in history and coach of the soccer and golf teams. He has two daughters, Virginia and Elizabeth, both of whom have red hair like their father. Address: 116 Forest Avenue.

Richard Freund is in the real estate business in Detroit. He is living there at the Book Cadillac Hotel.

George Kuhn is field service representative for The Travelers Insurance Co. in Peoria, Ill. George is living in Peoria, at 214 N. Frink St.

Theodore Bedrick is instructor of Classics at the University of Illinois.

William Heyer is living at 74 Harrison St., Verona, N. J.

Harold Bright is registrar of the San Angelo College in San Angelo, Texas.

Irving Williams is teaching at the Mt. Kisco (N. Y.) high school.

### 1937

Bob Johnson, sales manager for the Casey Folson Co. in Hartford, has been appointed that organization's local contact man in the wholesale distribution of automotive equipment.

Robert Noon is working as public relations organizer for various Massachusetts and Rhode Island charities. He is living at 10 Appian Way, Cambridge, Mass.

Milo Welch is manager of the Household Finance Corp. in Boston. His home is at 50 Stedman St., Quincy, Mass.

Allen Krause is an attorney-at-law in Lebanon, Pa.

Joseph Navas is with the Hammel-Dahl Co. in Providence and lives at 2 Spencer Drive, Wickford, R. I.

Some new addresses: Leslie Joyner, Wexford, Pa.; Bob Macdonald, 621 Massachusetts Ave., Cambridge, Mass.

Dr. Nathan Coleman is practicing medicine in Mattapan, Mass. The Colemans are living at 235 Reedsdale Rd., Milton, Mass.

Richard Emery is assistant operations manager for the Isthmian Steamship Co. in New York. His home address is at 1225 Park Ave.

Gordon Walls is living at 131 School St., Lebanon, N. H. He is with the American Woolen Co. in Lebanon.

Harry Snellenburg is owner of the Henny Penny Farm, Ivyland, Bucks County, Pa.

Harlan Paine, out of the service after four years as a Coast Guard Lt., is now an administrative interne at the Mass. General Hospital. He writes that he is now completing his studies for the degree of Master of Hospital Administration from Northwestern University.

Don Daniels, discharged last March from the Army Air Forces as Captain, recently announced the formation of the Canner-Daniels Insurance Agency in Boston.

Dave McGovern was toastmaster for the 47th annual dinner of the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick, held in Providence this March. Dave has the distinction of being the youngest man ever selected as toastmaster for this occasion.

Walter Davol writes us that he is to open a new office of the Aetna Casualty and Surety Co. in Syracuse, N. Y., this month.

Norman Watson is with the Defense Plants Division of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation in Providence.

Edmond Schiller is living at 75 Arling-ton Ave. in Caldwell, N. J., and is appli-

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cation engineer in the Crocker-Wheeler Electric Mfg. Co. in Ampere, N. J.

Bill Baker is vice-president in the Baker Chevrolet Co. in Taunton.

We learn that Jerome Goldsmith is living at 6026 Earnest Ave. in Los Angeles.

Joe Tausch is operating the Larchmont Lamp Studios in Larchmont, N. Y.

Oliver Hayes is patent attorney for the Polaroid Corp. in Cambridge, Mass.

John D. Powell is in Tacoma, Washington.

Bob Anderson, who now has two daughters, is living in Bermuda. His address: Spruce Cottage, Smith's Parish.

Charles Walz is sales representative for the Stephen Whitman & Son Co. in New York City. He is living in Plainfield, N. J., at 720 Hobart Ave.

Tom O'Keefe is a Kresge manager in Washington, D. C.—S. S. Kresge Co., that is.

Russell Smith is now at the English Dept. of Cleveland College, Cleveland, Ohio.

Hugh Wallace is working as analyst with The California Bank in Los Angeles. He is living at 1845 Hope St. in South Pasadena.

We have received this address for Henry T. Van Dyke: 12700 Gulf Blvd., Treasure Island, St. Petersburg, Fla.

Arthur Crowlet writes he is with the Keystone Readers Service, Inc. in Philadelphia as manager of the magazine subscription agency. His home is at 1136 Madison Ave., Prospect Park, Penn.

Ed Fearney is instructor of architecture at the University of Florida in Gainesville, Fla.

Jim Henry's address comes to us as 214 Boulevard, Scarsdale, N. Y.

Lt. (j.g.) James Bugg, USN, is at the Naval School (Elect. Mat'l.), W.O.R.E.S. No. 26, Naval Research Lab., Washington, D. C.

We hear that Tom Kennedy is living in Blackstone, Mass. and working in Boston.

Bill Hickey is cost accountant for the U. S. Navy Dept. in Silver Spring, Md. His home address is 4324 Kentbury Drive, Bethesda, Md.

D. Stuart Campbell writes he is restaurateur with the Cape Cod Cottages Inc. in Los Angeles.

Dr. Jay D. Mann is on the staff of the Albany Hospital, Albany, N. Y.

Ernest Beck is working in the legal department of DuPont in Wilmington, Del. His home address is 14 B Corbin Court, Wilmington.

Frank Fletcher writes he is a teaching fellow at the University of Michigan.

James Frazer is with the Guaranty Trust Co. in New York. He is living at 15 Chestnut St., Garden City, L. I., N. Y.

Dr. Charles Cashman is chief of the paraplegia section of the Cushing Veterans Administration Hospital at Framingham, Mass.

Dick Holt is city manager of Northeast Airlines, Inc. in New Bedford.

Dr. Freeman D. Love is practicing medicine in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Jim MacNeill is now living at 7307 Elbow Lane, Philadelphia.

### 1938

Arnold Noble has been appointed plant manager for Arnold, Hoffman & Co.'s new southern plant at Charlotte, N. C. Arnold has obtained his manufacturing experience at the company's Anchor Division in Dighton, Mass., in all control laboratories and production departments.

### Why She Needed to Know

► "WHICH IS THE BIGGEST elm tree on the Brown campus?" A woman wanted to know and came into University Hall on Commencement Day in an effort to find out. It was one question none of the staff, for all its varied experience, had ever been asked, and the inquirer would take no guesses for an answer. Several likely trees among the older elms were pointed out, but she repeated, "Which is the largest?"

"Do you need to know today?" parleyed one of the secretaries.

"I certainly do," was the response. "I must find the biggest elm. My husband told me to meet him under it." ◀

Roderick M. Chisholm has been made assistant professor of philosophy at Brown. Dr. Chisholm comes to us from the faculty of the University of Pennsylvania and during the war served as an officer clinical psychologist.

Myles Grover announces a change of address to 23 Prospect St., East Orange, N. J. (Building 6, Apt 1-A).

George H. Springer is in Dayton, Ohio, where he is assistant professor of Geology at the University of Dayton.

Phil Myers is studying for a Master of Education degree at Springfield (Mass.) College.

Richard Earle's address is 3301 Austin Ave., Waco, Texas. He is partner in the Clement Grain Co. there.

Gabriel Geuer writes he is chemist in the Development Laboratory of the Norwich (N. Y.) Pharmacal Co.

Bill Michael is living at 60 Malbone Rd. in Newport.

Samuel Strong is at Carleton College in Northfield, Minn.

More and more we see the work of Alan Fontaine in the topflight magazines. As a photographer he works in the fashion field, often in color, with a further flair for still life, illustration, montage, and experimentals. His studio is at 135 East 40th St., New York 16. Still single, he told Jim Gurl, in spite of the gorgeous models he encounters in the course of a day's work.

Martin G. Rolland, whose mail was returned to us from California last winter, sends a new address showing him back in the East at 5 Bishop Rd., Wollaston, Mass. He notes that he has been travelling about the country for the past three or four years.

Reevan Novograd writes us from Germany where he is working for the Headquarters of Military Government on the development of a new civil service system for the German government. He expects to return to the states in the fall after two years overseas and after that would like to spend a year at the University of London to study the British Civil Service system.

Rev. Everett Sherwood, now a Major on the Army Air Force inactive list, is pastor of the Central Baptist Church in Southbridge, Mass.

Howard Jordan is a partner in the Case and Jordan Co., tire distributors, in Phoenix, Ariz. His address: Route 2, Box 262, Phoenix.

Horatio LaFauci is now teaching at Becker Junior College in Worcester, Mass.

Joseph Cooper writes that he is vice-president of the Harry D. Cooper and Co.,

British Continental Sales Co., Inc. in New York City.

E. Robert LaCrosse is working with the Combustion Engineering Co. in New York City. He is living at 86 S. Harrison Ave., East Orange, N. J.

Floyd Hinkley is living at 131 N. Broadway, Los Angeles, Cal.

Raymond Hanson sends an address at 4 Central Ave., South Hadley Falls, Mass.

Alderic Senecal is selling for The Atlantic Refining Co. in Worcester. His home is at 2 Elliott St. in Westminster, Mass.

E. W. Cokefair is office manager for the Mt. Hope Finishing Co. in New York.

Bob Richard is with the Travelers Fire Insurance Co. in Los Angeles and is living at 1733 Mines Blvd. in Whittier, Cal.

A card from George Pierce states that he is chief passenger and cargo agent for American Airlines in the Greater Cincinnati Airport, Erlanger Station, Kentucky.

We learn from Cy Flanders that Floyd Hinkley is in San Pedro, Cal.

Carl Nesbitt is in the insurance business with the Phoenix London Group in New York City.

### 1939

Ralph P. Semonoff is now practicing law in Providence in association with Judah C. Semonoff '11.

E. W. Renfree, formerly at the New York office of the U. S. Rubber Co., is now at the Chicago branch as Midwestern District Engineer for the Wire and Cable Division of the company. His new address: 1340 North State St., Chicago 10, Ill.

Stanley Mathes, long active in alumni affairs in Providence, has been transferred by the Grinnell Corporation to Daugherty Co., Inc., 502 Union National Bank Bldg., Youngstown 3, Ohio.

Charles L. Kramer recently announced his association with Milton Broadman in a New York City law office.

G. Holmes Wilson is announcer and script writer for Station WSAR in Fall River, Mass.

Arthur Oppenheimer is practicing law in Chicago and is living at 917 S. St. Johns Ave., Highland Park, Ill.

Ken Vale is a latex chemist with the American Wringer Co. in Woonsocket, R. I. Ken's home is at 11 Hill Ave., Esmond, R. I.

Rev. R. L. Seekins is now rector of St. Thomas' Church in Providence and can be reached at 721 Douglas Ave., Providence.

New addresses: Floyd Shumway, "Andway", 1150 Old Mill Rd., Lake Forest, Ill.; Kenneth Frank, 6229 North Bay Ridge Ave., Milwaukee 11, Wis.

Bob Simon directs us to leave off his military title, stating that "it brings back memories that are better forgotten". MISTER Simon is living at 114 University Rd., Brookline, Mass.

### Query on Tradition

► THE FIRST QUESTION was easy: "Does your campus promote the merits of the traditional?"

But the second was not simply answered, though the inquiry from the Middle West was honest and seeking: "Will you please send a description of what is traditional on your campus?"

That was a big order for a school that has been in business since 1764. ◀



We learn that John Rowe is now at the Universidad del Cauca, Popayan, Colombia, South America.

Bill Bieluch has been taking some special law studies under American Bar Association auspices in Hartford. Henry Muller '38 has also attended.

Ben Hunter, Muller also reports, is working in radio broadcasting at the station in Scranton, Pa.

Norden Schloss is now working with the North Carolina Power and Light Co. in Roxboro, N. C. Norden was a bombardier in the 8th Air Force during the war.

Andrew Comstock informs us that Frank McEvoy is taking a law course at the University of Virginia. Frank and his wife are living at 1021 West Main St. in Charlottesville, Va. and will be in Clinton, Conn. this June. While they are there, Frank hopes to run up to Providence for the Commencement season.

F. Raymond Zulch, D.D.S. is practicing Dentistry in Scarsdale, N. Y.

Fred Rhodes has taken a position with Bloomingdale's Department Store in New York, entering a special course for junior executives. Fred had spent three and a half years in the Pacific as a field artillery captain.

Earl Metzger is an examiner with the U. S. Civil Service Commission in Atlanta, Ga.

Bob O'Brien has a new address: 26 Hillcrest Ave., Yonkers, N. Y.

Howard Shaw is sales manager with Stark Hickey, Inc. in Detroit. His home is at 1386 Harvard Rd., Grosse Pointe, Mich.

Phil Creighton is a partner in the firm of Creighton & Sullivan, Food Brokers and Mfrs' Agents in Portland, Ore. Previously, he was in Washington with the O.P.A.

Harold Speel is living at 100 Miller St., Wickford.

#### 1940

Dick Struble, in merchandising work for the Esmond Mills in New York City, expects to be married in October. His fiancée, Mary Jane Hayes Jones, Mt. Holyoke '44, is on the staff of *Glamour* magazine.

John Young has passed his written and oral examinations for the State Department Foreign Service examination. He should be a specialist on Greece and the Islands after his years there.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman S. Case, Jr., have been in Bethel, Vt. since last September, and Norman has opened his law office there. Noting that Bethel is his birthplace, Norman writes that he finds his law work "most pleasant". The Cases' new son is named for the late Lt. John Warren Case, '42, Norman's brother.

Ray Comyn, returned to inactive duty in the Navy, is now living at Apt. 202, 950 25th St., NW, Washington, D. C.

Ralph Harris is now living at 1327 Totten Ave., Richland, Wash.

Capt. Spencer Manrodt, USAAF, is now at the Fairfield-Suisun Army Air Base in California.

Ray McCulloch is working for the Veterans Administration in Boston and is attending Boston College Law School in the evenings.

Curtis Warren writes that he is a student at Penn.

Stan Cummings, foreign correspondent for the *Brown Herald*, recently interviewed Professor George J. Stigler of the Brown Economics Dept. when the latter attended

a conference of economists in Switzerland. It made a lively column for the campus paper.

Washington I. Tragle, 3rd, is out of service and back in Poughkeepsie, where he is living at 44 Raymond Ave. He's in the real estate business.



CLARK T. FOSTER '40: He untangled snarls in Seoul. (Photo courtesy of *The Eastern Underwriter*.)

#### Korean Headache

▶ ▶ How WOULD YOU have liked the job of untangling the affairs of 19 Japanese insurance companies operating in Korea before our occupation? That was what landed in the lap of Clark T. Foster '40, previously an Air Corps Captain.

When he was assigned to military government in Korea, it was discovered that he had an actuarial background, says *The Eastern Underwriter*. He was made military government actuary and summoned to headquarters in Seoul to work under the Major in charge of all insurance matters. He had to evaluate the business of the Japanese companies, supervise the actuarial operations of the one existing Korean life insurance company and help set up two prospective organizations.

Only three of the Korean aides had any knowledge of actuarial matters at all. Equipment consisted of two hand-operated calculating machines, an ancient typewriter, and innumerable abacuses ("the primitive calculators Americans usually associate with the sides of babies' play-pens"). Moreover, the Japanese taught Foster at the military government school had given no vocabulary drill in such words as reserve, premium, and commutation column. Most of the original records were in Japanese home offices, too.

Foster is back now, a member of the Group department of The Prudential's actuarial division. A former managing editor of the *Brown Daily Herald* and Phi Beta Kappa member, he joined the Army Air Corps in 1942. He served in the China-Burma-India theatre as a weather-radar officer after meteorology courses at N.Y.U., before being assigned for military government and language study. He had been with The Prudential before the war. ◀

The editor's apologies go to Frederick Bloom for some misinformation previously printed about his wedding. As noted in the Vital Statistics department, he was married Feb. 20, 1947, to Miss Ann Berliner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin E. Berliner of Larchmont, N. Y. They are living at 66 Adelbert St., South Portland, Me., Fred being engaged in shoe manufacture since his return to civilian life. (He is a veteran of the Aleutians, where he was in the Army's signal intelligence branch.) He has already entered into the activities of the Brown Club of Western Maine, and writes proudly of his own "little white house with garden and all the fixings."

Frederick King's father died in March, we regret to report, assuring Fred of the class' sympathy. Fred is purchasing agent for Textron in New York and lives at 103 Montgomery Ave., Oceanside.

Jim Kennedy gives us a new address at Byram Lake Road, Mt. Kisco, New York. Bob Logan is practicing law in Chicago and living at 716 Harvard Court, Highland Park, Ill.

Emil Dietz is with the Automatic Heating Corporation in Ridgewood, N. Y. His home is at 176-56 80 Road, Jamaica, N. Y.

Lt. Comdr. Gordon Brown, USN, is Walter Gummere is assistant production

stationed at the Quonset Point NAS manager at the Plywood Division of the Louisville Plants of the Mengel Co. He is living at Box 11, Locust Lane, Jefferson-town, Ky.

Bill Reisman is purchasing agent for Wm. S. Reisman, Inc., in New York City. His home address is 40 Willow Drive, New Rochelle, N. Y.

Eugene Simon is living in Winnetka, Ill., at 1225 Asbury Ave.

Ed Hale is industrial engineer for the Hemphill Manufacturing Co. in Pawtucket, R. I.

Tom Mahony sends us a current address at Mahwah, N. J.

Rev. Daniel Partridge is minister of the Methodist Church in Champlain, N. Y.

Melvin Swartz is a graduate student at Columbia.

George Sawyer notifies us of a change of address to 117 Thompson Terrace Plan, Castle Shannon Post Office, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Chaplain Bob Handy was promoted to the rank of Captain in January and separated from the Army in March. He is now at 316 South Wapella Ave., Mount Prospect, Ill.

Duncan Cleaves is living in San Jose, Calif., and is working there with the International Mineral and Chemicals Co.

Louis Sigloch is an architect in association with his father in Poughkeepsie, N. Y. He can be reached at Box 101, Rhinecliff, N. Y.

Henry Wilder, living at 2515 K. St. NW, Washington, D. C., is an instructor in the sales division of American Airlines, Inc.

#### 1941

Benson R. Frost, Jr., is practicing law with his father in Poughkeepsie and Rhinebeck, N. Y. A fellow townsman is Robert W. Closs.

Al Carpenter is medical sales representative for Sharp & Dohme, Inc., of Philadelphia. His mailing address is P. O. Box 633, Greensburg, Pa.

Bill Stinson tells us to address him c/o Aetna Life Insurance Co., 735 N. Water St., Milwaukee, Wis.

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Bob Gosselin is doing physiological research at the University of Rochester School of Medicine and Dentistry.

Bill Sheehan, Jr., sends a new address at 12 Mawney St., Providence, R. I.

John Liebmann reports he is a salesman for the Liebman Breweries, Inc., in Brooklyn. His mailing address: 157 West 57th St., New York, N. Y.

Channing Cox, Lt., USN, is now stationed at the Patuxent River, NATC, Mo.

Fred Barlow is a student teacher and graduate student here at Brown. His home is at 1639 Post Rd., Lincoln Park.

Allan Nunes has just been awarded his M.A. from Harvard and plans to stay on for his doctorate. His address is 51 Oxford St., Cambridge, Mass.

Henry Eldredge, no longer Ensign, is now living at 75 Kenyon Ave., East Greenwich, R. I.

Harold Greenwald was promoted to Major on his return from overseas last year.

Robert W. Closs is a partner in Closs Bros., dealers in feed and grain at Rhinebeck, N. Y.

Dave Welch has joined the sales department of the Naugatuck Chemical Company, after three years with the Office of Rubber Reserve in Washington, D. C.

Fred Ball is associate attorney in a Cleveland law office. He is living there at 11505 Lake Shore Blvd.

John Gilbert, formerly Lt. with the Army Air Force, is now living at 4 Cold Spring Road, Barrington.

John Benn is layout engineer for the Turner Construction Co. in Trenton.

Phil Hawkes is now living at 840 De Camp Ave., Schenectady.

Don MacAusland, out of the army, sends us this address: Gourmet — The Plaza, New York 19, N. Y.

Walter LeBlanc is a student at Louisiana Tech.

John McEvoy is training as an industrial engineer with the Owens Corning Fiberglas Corporation, Ashton, R. I.

Carl Barus writes that he is out of the Navy and is now a part-time graduate student and research assistant at M.I.T.

### 1942

Jim Fish is back in this country with his English bride after two years overseas. He is still with Pratt & Whitney, he reported on a visit to the Alumni Office late in April.

Bill Lambert is now enrolled at Harvard, learning social and other brands of psychology in the new department of social relations. He observes trenchantly that, in comparing Brown and Harvard, he is reminded of the remark that at Harvard even the flowers are made of glass.

Fred Byerly is living on DeForest Rd., Wilton, Conn. and is working with the Unexcelled Mfg. Co.

Nathan Pulling is doing graduate work at the Harvard Biological Laboratories. He is living at 14 Winthrop Rd., Wellesley, Mass.

Bernard Bell sends a changed address: 102 Blackstone Blvd., Providence.

Ed Swanezy is a chemist for Merck & Co., Inc. in Rahway, N. J. His home is at 369 Upper Mountain Ave., Upper Montclair, N. J.

Ed Sarnoff is busy formulating dealer training programs for agents of his new company, Radio Appliance and Distributors, in Hartford. He was formerly executive radio officer on General MacArthur's Tokyo staff.

### Nine Other Secretaries

▶ WHEN Gen. George Catlett Marshall received the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws at the Brown Commencement, he was the 10th Secretary of State of the United States to receive such citation from the University. Four of his predecessors had been alumni: William L. Marcy, 1808; Richard Olney, 1856; John Hay, 1858; and Charles Evans Hughes, 1881.

Recipients, with the date of the conferring of the Brown honorary degree, have been: John Jay, the first Secretary of State, 1794; Thomas Jefferson, 1787; Timothy Pickering, 1799; Mr. Marcy, 1833; Mr. Olney, 1893; Mr. Hay, 1897; Mr. Hughes, 1909; Frank B. Kellogg, 1930; Cordell Hull, 1936.

In addition to Mr. Jefferson, five Presidents of the United States have also received the honorary LL.D. from Brown: George Washington in 1790; John Adams, 1797; William Howard Taft, 1913; Woodrow Wilson, 1903; Herbert Hoover, 1916.

Bill Danforth is now associated with the First National Bank of Boston.

Joseph F. Lockett, Jr., is a new member of the University Club of Boston.

Charles C. Spencer 3rd, former Navy lieutenant, has been awarded the Bronze Star Medal with Combat "V" for meritorious service during operations against the Japanese near Molucca Islands in 1944 and 1945.

Robert Rogerson is out of the Navy and is now living at 328 Allen St., Lansing, Mich.

Edmund Armstrong, out of the Coast Guard where he held a commission as Lt. (j.g.), is now a teacher and coach at the Moses Brown School in Providence.

Charles Lincoln is attending law school at the University of Michigan.

1st Lt. Edward M. Daniels, M.C., is now stationed at Cushing Veterans' Hospital, Framingham, Mass.

Alan Wetterau writes he is assistant to the president of the Photovolt Corporation in New York City, where he is living at 117 W. 10th St.

Wallace Adams is in Pittsburgh, where he is special agent for the Providence Washington Insurance Co.

Arnold Katz's current address is 15 Royce Rd., Brookline, Mass.

Bob Parr also has a new address: 4400 Belmont Ave., North, Robbinsdale, Minn.

Carl Draues is living at 262 Walnut St., Pottstown, Pa. He is chemist and compounder for the B. F. Goodrich Co. there.

Bill Denniston writes he is engineer and assistant sales manager for the Eureka X-Ray Tube Corporation in Chicago.

Douglas Leach is a student in the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences at Harvard.

Jim Lukens is a chemist for E. R. Squibb & Sons in New Brunswick, N. J. His home is at 310 Elberon Ave., Allenhurst, N. J.

Eugene Lester is attending the Yale University School of Music.

Dave Troup is a freshman at the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery, Dental School, University of Maryland.

Some new addresses: Howard Lyman, 1909 Washington Ave. South, Minneapolis, Minn.; Peter Klein, 308 Bidwell Rd., Mineola, N. Y.

Lt. John H. Sullivan was the only R. I. reserve officer on board the U. S. S. Wisconsin during recent sea maneuvers.

### 1943

H. Wilson Guernsey, Jr., has not previously been reported out of service, although he was discharged in December, 1945. Buz attended the first meeting of the new Mid-Hudson Brown Club in Poughkeepsie in May, with his father, with whom he is associated in the real estate business.

John Chandler, Bob Erickson, and their wives have been seeing a good bit of each other this spring in Detroit. Chandler has been taking graduate work at Wayne but started on his Volker Fellowship in June.

Bob Achorn writes telling us to delete the "Lt. (jg)" from his mailing stencil. He is now living at 10 Charles St., Westboro, Mass. and has been working since last October as a reporter for the Worcester Telegram.

C. Robert Carlisle is now living at 7028 W. Milwaukee Ave., Milwaukee, Wis., an engineer with Allis Chalmers.

Dick Fletcher sends a new address: 14 South Meadow Lane, Barrington, R. I.

Leonard Campbell is working for Carver & Co., Inc., Boston brokers, and is living at 133 Peterborough St., Apt. 5A, Boston.

Brainerd S. Bates is now in the Information Section of the Curtis Publishing Co. Research Department.

Lt. John D. Bacon will make a Naval Reserve cruise to northern European ports this summer.

Charles D. Houlihan is a new member of the University Club in Boston.

Albert Hausmann of Litchfield, Conn., who is getting his Master's degree this June, is working at the National Fire Insurance Co. in Hartford.

Bill Saunders is back from the Army where he was engaged in public relations and personnel work and is now staff announcer for Station WTRY in Troy, N. Y. In addition to his announcing, he also produces three popular talent shows each week.

Walter Sammartino is now sales manager for the Sammartino Brothers Co., Jewelry Manufacturers, in Providence.

Lt. (j.g.) John Gerfin, USNR, can now be reached at 1087 Wendell Ave., Schenectady, N. Y.

Louis R. Glavis, Jr., is with the Jordan Jewelry Co. of Providence. The daughter, whose birth is announced elsewhere, is the Glavises' second child, Louis Russell, 3rd, having been born May 31, 1945.

John Lyman is working in the engineering department of the Massachusetts Gear and Tool Co. His home is at 59 Elm St., Woburn, Mass. A son, Jeffery Carroll, was born to the Lymans last December.

Hermon Carey Bumpus advises us of a change of name to William N. Bumpus.

Norman Creighton, who is living at 300 Fifth Ave. South, Clinton, Iowa, writes that he is working as methods and standards engineer for DuPont.

Bob Lynch gives us a current address at 63 Orange Road, Montclair, N. J.

Arthur Parker can be reached at Room 541, Hotel Brunswick, Boston.



Paul Armor is with the Chance Vought Aircraft Co. in Stratford, Conn., where he is senior electronic engineer. His home is at 105 Charles St., Fairfield, Conn.

W. Robison McKee is engaged in soap manufacture in Los Angeles where he is owner of the Burmac Products Co. The home address is 1205 Wilson Ave., San Marino, Cal.

Kingsley Meyer is in the Sales Department of the Davol Rubber Co. in Providence.

Jay Fidler sends us a corrected address at 966 East 24th St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Bob Drake is working in the U. S. Naval Ordnance Laboratory in Washington, D. C. as Chief of the Fragmentation Section in the Explosives Division.

John Chandler is now living at 15908 Sussex St., Detroit, Mich.

Charles P. Littlefield writes that he is agency group supervisor in the Providence office of the Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Co.

John Boudreau is doing accounting with the International Derrick and Equipment Co. in Columbus, Ohio. He can be reached at P. O. Box 177, Station E, Columbus, Ohio.

Flint Ricketson is manager of the Stamford office of the Liberty Mutual Insurance Co. He is currently living at the YMCA in Greenwich, Conn.

Gordon Neale has withdrawn from Harvard Law School and is now assistant to the controller in the Textron Mills, Manville, R. I.

#### 1944

Louis Jackvony is now studying law at Boston University. During the war Lou was a technical sergeant in Military Intelligence, serving in France and Germany. Louis III was born this January. The Jackvony family is living in Providence, at 21 Lotus Place.

Henry Packer writes he is assistant manager of the Independent Laundry in Fall River, Mass.

Al Anthony sends us a new address at 30 Daily St., Nutley, N. J.

Allen Ferguson, back from the armed services, is now doing work at Yale, where his address is 24 Hillhouse Ave., New Haven, Conn.

Ray Huling is a special agent for the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co. in Providence.

Arthur Maier informs us that he is study-



**WHO'S INTERVIEWING WHOM? Bob Roechio of the Brown Herald and William G. Avirett, Education Editor of the New York Herald Tribune, during the latter's visit to Brown this spring. (Herald photo.)**

ing for his LL.B. and LL.M. degrees at Boston University.

Frank Lawton writes that he is Providence Division Adviser for the Westmorland Sterling Silver Co. Frank is living at 195 Pond St., South Weymouth, Mass.

Bill Perry is living in New Bedford, Mass., where he is a Junior Accountant with the American Optical Co.

Richard Houck is one of a quartet of Brown alumni in training with the Grinnell Corporation in Providence to become fire protection engineers. Robert Black '46 and Jonathan Brooks '45 are others.

Dave McCabe writes he is a store manager trainee with Goodyear Tire and Rubber, Inc. His home address is at 133 East St., Wrentham, Mass.

C. Howard Nold is now living at Apt. No. 22, 51 Brattle St., Cambridge, Mass. Howard writes that he is now employed by the Armstrong Cork Co. in Boston.

John Pattee has begun a period of practice teaching in the mathematics department of the Torrington, Conn., high school. John was a Lt. (j.g.) in the Navy during the war.

Glenn Prescott is a graduate assistant in the Geology Department at Brown. Also back at Brown is Howard G. Baetzhold.

T. B. Schlesinger is now with *The Charlotte News*, Charlotte, N. C.

Sherwood Moe is attending the School of International Affairs at Columbia.

Dr. Thomas Mathieu received his M.D. at Yale last March and is now an intern at R. I. Hospital.

Dr. Lawrence Berns has announced the opening of his office of dentistry in Manchester, Conn.

John Ulen informs us that he is advertising copywriter for Raleigh Haberdasher in Washington, D. C.

Fred Heck has a new address: 31 Massachusetts Ave., Boston, Mass.

Charles Robinson writes us that beginning this June he will be a graduate student and research assistant in the Chemistry Dept. at M. I. T. Charlie will be living at 31 Concord Ave., Cambridge, Mass.

Eliot Bliss is now vice-president and treasurer of the Lesellie International Corporation in New York City. Eliot received a M.S. degree in engineering at Harvard last October.

Ray Smith sends us an address at RFD 4, Box 38, Danbury, Conn.

Elmer Stafford, Jr., is now head bookkeeper for Kaplan Bros. Furniture Co. in Fall River, Mass. He is living in Fall River at 80 Irving St.

Benjamin Taylor is attending Harvard Law School.

Albert Anthony notifies us of a change of address to 30 Daily St., Nutley, N. J.

Frank McDonough is an engineer with the Southern New England Telephone Co. He is living at 79 Martin St., West Haven, Conn.

L. W. Plympton, Jr., is president of the New England Helicopter Service, Inc. One of his planes gave Coach Rip Engle an aerial view of intra-squad scrimmage during Brown's spring practice.

Bob Klie's address: 171 Sigourney St., Hartford.

#### 1945

Robert C. Fisher of Bridgeport, Conn., has received a university fellowship in the Divinity School of the University of Chicago, where he will work toward a Ph.D. in church history. He was due to receive his Bachelor of Divinity degree from Princeton Seminary this year.

Bob Breeding has a new job with the Circulation Auditing Dept. of Time and Life Magazines in New York City.

Bob Shallow is studying at Dartmouth. His home address: 121 Wigwam Circle, Hanover, N. H.

Fred Easton was due to receive his M.D. this June at Harvard.

Byron Adams is studying for an advanced degree in mechanical engineering at R.P.I. in Troy, N. Y.

Vernon Baker, Judd Mealy, and Arnold Zais are all in the graduate school of chemistry at M.I.T. Vern and Arnie are both married and are living in Boston.

#### Brown Took First Prize

▶ A COLLEGE CATALOGUE is a prosaic tool designed for useful reference. And there is an unexpected dividend when it attracts attention for some other virtue.

All the more pleasant, then, was the first award accorded Brown University at the national convention of the American College Public Relations Association, held in St. Louis in May. Judged in competition with hundreds of other college catalogues, the Brown booklet was judged the best on the basis of typographical excellence and general copy arrangement. The work was edited by Registrar Gilbert Case. The award was accepted on his behalf by Howard S. Curtis, Director of the Brown News Bureau, who was attending the conference as New England chairman of ACPRA. ◀

## *It Was 1948 and No Mistake*

▶▶ IT WAS STARTLING to see the numerals "1948" over the Van Wickle Gates and in front of Sayles Hall on Class Night for the campus dance. But, because of the wartime acceleration, this was the first section of 1948 which was being graduated. Actually, of course, men from classes in the early '40s were receiving their degrees. (Given their option, most of them chose their original class as the one with which they want all-time affiliation.)

Curiously enough, next June the Class Night numerals will still be 1948, for the final section of the class will be graduated then. During the period of acceleration, with three semesters a year, each class consisted of three divisions. A man in the third semester of his college studies, normally a Sophomore, could thus be a classmate of an entering Freshman. (Do you wonder Faculty and administrators are glad Brown is back on the normal calendar at last? There is no summer session this year, except for a few engineering classes.)

Joe Macioci is attending Boston University Law School; he and Judd Mealy are rooming together in Boston.

Ted Chick is teaching German at Hebron Academy in Lewiston, Maine.

Knight Edwards and Bill Barton are at Harvard Law School.

Al Bellin is doing graduate work at the Harvard Engineering School.

Stan Ehrlich is working for his Ph.D. in Physics at M.I.T.

Bob Furlong is working for the New Haven Watch and Clock Co. Bob, Jr., was born in Montclair on January 2nd.

Eddy Gamble is studying design advertising at the Parson School of Design in New York.

Don Guinan is at the University of Vermont Medical School.

The last news from Gloster Hevenor—received last fall—was that he was about to rejoin the U. S. Merchant Marine.

Bob Jacobson is still at Los Alamos, working in the atomic bomb laboratories.

Larry Okerblom and Harper Brown are at Harvard Business School.

Hank Sharpe is working at Brown and Sharpe in Providence.

Jack and Priscilla Cokefair had their second daughter about the first of the year.

Jim Cooper is studying at the Columbia Business School.

Frank Siniscalchi writes he is laboratory technician in the Interlaken Mills. He is living at 656 Providence St., West Warwick, R. I.

Al Emerson is doing graduate studies here at Brown.

Joe Macioci is a student at the Boston College Law School.

Don Gardner is engaged in a job training program with the Industrial Paper & Cordage Co. in Rumford, R. I.

Ed DePaul is attending the University of Pennsylvania Law School.

Malcolm Smith writes he is a junior staff member with Scovell, Wellington, & Co., Auditors, Accountants, and Management Consultants, in New York City.

Julius Batenik is living at 231 So. Marion St., Oak Park, Ill. He is sales representative for the Imperial Brass Mfg. Co. in Chicago.

Joe Corcoran sends us his current address at 4410 Greenwich Parkway, N.W., Washington, D. C.

John Willemssen is working with an office equipment concern in Guatemala City. His mailing address is Apartado Postal No. 214, Guatemala City, Guatemala, Central America.

Ed Davis informs us he is a student salesman for the Gulf Oil Corporation in Boston. Ed is living at 251 Bowen St., in Providence.

Dick Whitney is in the oil and coal business in Sharon, Mass. His home is "Oakwud", Foxboro, Mass.

Charles J. Anthony is living at 36 Windson St., Waterbury, Conn. He is employed as chemist by the United Chromium Corporation.

Ed Fiorento recently signed to play with the Boston Yanks of the National Football League next fall.

## 1946

Joseph Charette, with Dun & Bradstreet's New York office, is living at 1388 Bedford Ave., Brooklyn. He and Mrs. Charette, the former Elizabeth Ann Starkey, Pembroke '47, will celebrate their first wedding anniversary Aug. 17.

David G. Thornton is working at Grote & Weigel in Hartford (Spruce St.).

Henry C. Aitken has been designated by Sigma Chi fraternity as the winner of the Balfour Province Award for the New England-Nova Scotia province. Chosen the outstanding Sigma Chi in that area by the Grand Praetor, he received a special badge-chairman in token of the honor.

Ernest Hofer is instructing in the English Department here at Brown and expects to receive his M.A. this June. He and Ernest Frerichs recently gave a highly successful two-piano recital at the R. I. School of Design.

Herbert Barlow is an examiner in the Electronics Division of the U. S. Patent Office. He is living in Washington, D. C. at 1725 New Hampshire Ave., N.W., Apt. 303.

Bob von der Lieth is doing graduate work at Brown.

John Petropoulos writes he is chemist with the American Cyanamid Co. He is living at 57 Cedar St., So. Norwalk, Conn.

Roland Casperson is an assistant in the Psychology Department at Brown. He tells us of the arrival of a son, Peter H., last July.

Rev. W. Hollis Tegarden received his S.T.B. degree from the Harvard Divinity School last January and is now minister of the First Parish (Unitarian) in Ashby, Mass.

John Kenney is with the Engineering Dept. of the Kidder Press Company in Dover, N. H.

Morris Stout is teaching at the Chestnut Hill Academy in Philadelphia. His home address is 34 Hilltop Rd., Chestnut Hill, Pa.

Sgt. Paul Hicks is doing recruiting work in Ft. Payne, Ala.

Carl Becker provides us with a new address: 105 Kenmore Ave., Forest Hills, Pittsburgh, Pa.

A/c Harry L. Sheppard, USNR, has a service address at Class 11-A Brks. 624, NATB, Pensacola, Fla.

Ken Persitz is manager of "Lou's Apparel" in Marquette, Mich.

Hueston Hyde is living at 111 East St., Ft. Edward, N. Y. He is supervisor for

the H & F Binch Co., Inc. in Glens Falls, N. Y.

Rev. Emil A. Ahokas writes that he is now located in Chelsea, Vt.

Frank Kattwinkel has recently been placed on inactive duty, U. S. Army Air Forces. He is living at 306 West First St., Clifton, N. J.

Bernard O'Brien is a student at the N. Y. University College of Dentistry.

Bob Lowe is doing engineering for Babcock and Wilcox Co. in New York City. He is living at 549 Tremont Ave., Westfield, N. J.

Jim Siegal has been at Brown as an instructor during the second semester. He has been in the Engineering Division, giving the Sophomore course in Mechanics. Jim came out of the Army last November.

Midshipman John McTammery is at the Naval Academy, Annapolis.

Addresses: Ross L. Heald, Wilton, N. H.; Walter Dautel, P. O. Box 344, Rockaway, N. Y.; Kenneth Richter, Rt. 3, Box 413, Ft. Collins, Col.; Jim Hooker, Box 892, RR No. 1, Bridgeport, Conn.

## 1947

George S. Gordon wrote in April: "We Brunonians of the class of '47 encounter no difficulty here on the Norfolk Naval Station in finding a classmate with whom to revive the happy memories of Brown. The fact is, here on the USS Okanogan PA 220 I am within shouting distance of three erstwhile Brown men. They are, Hank Greenberg, Joe Dolinski and Whitney B. Callahan. Leonard Schaeffer is an Engineering Officer on the USS F. D. R. CVB 42; Reid Watt has been transferred from the USS Midway to an LSM operating out of Guam. He is expecting an heir in September. Ensign John Shunny paid us a visit from D. C. where he works with BUPERS along with Ensign Tom Pfundstein, who has taken the first step toward wedlock by becoming engaged. Dick Applebach and his wife are in the neighborhood. Dick is now Regular Navy and has been transferred to the LST 391 operating out of Little Creek, Va. Gerry Wichelns returned from the South Polar Expedition last week and he offered the following statement concerning the trip, "BRRRRR." The home port of his destroyer is Newport, Gerry has also signed over to the Regular Navy. 2nd Lt. Jack Sheldon, USMC, signed his life over to Marge Davidson of Iowa, Saturday April

## *Schooling For Nels*

▶ NELSON LAMBERT has been going to school this spring. Maybe we'd better explain that Nelson Lambert is "Nels" of Faunce House, to be sure you'll know the fellow we're talking about.

Well, Nels had to attend some lectures on safety provided by the company which handles employee liability for the University. And it seems that Nels went protesting.

"I've been all over the world," he said. "I sailed on a whaler and went through all kinds of trouble at sea. I went up the masts in storms and all that. And then I came to Brown in 1909—been here ever since, getting along with everybody all that time, looking after hundreds of my boys.

"They think I don't know how to take care of myself after all those years. They're trying to teach me. Huh!"



12th when they were wed at Jack's hometown in Frewsburg, N. Y. Met Dick Beck and Mrs. Suzie Beck the other night (he is Supply Officer aboard a can). Jack Schleck is also stationed here at Norfolk, aboard the USS Stribling DD867. Also a member of the Destroyer Fleet is Woody Thomas assigned to this area. Henry Zooloomian was in town a few weeks ago. He is on the Allagash, AO 98.

"Well, that's the Alumni News from Norfolk, Brown's Southern Exposure."

Tom Asquith, Jr., sends us a new address at 21 Main St., Camillus, N. Y. Tom writes us that he has been with the Syracuse China Co. since leaving Brown and is now employment manager of their Court St. Plant in Syracuse.

Ray Bowen is living at Homestead, Fla. (Box 153) and is in the insurance business.

Midshipman C. W. Hines is completing his third year at the Naval Academy in Annapolis, Md., and asks for his ALUMNI MONTHLY at that address.

George Lewis, III, is in California where he is going to school and living at 628 West 133rd St., Hawthorne.

Carlton Klaiber is living at 72 Dwight Rd., Springfield, Mass. He began work this June with Associate Engineers, Inc., in Springfield.

Ed McGowan is a sales trainee with the Associate Hospital Service Insurance Co. He is living in Brooklyn at 1351 Hancock St.

Jonathan Sisson recently received his commission as Ensign at the U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis. He was 27 in the class of 494.

Three members of the class finished their Navy duty at San Diego with the Pacific Reserve Fleet this spring: Al Dow and John McMorrow, both ensigns in the Sup-

ply Corps, were mustered out on the same day and finished their terminal leave June 23. Al was to marry Miss Anne Dean, Pembroke '47, in Douglaston, L. I. on June 21. Thomas F. McCormick expected to be out of the Navy in June, too, though left behind in San Diego by the others.

Ralph Jacobs is in the building business in Boston. He is living at 1874 Centre St., W. Roxbury, Mass.

Irving Berstein writes that he is an instructor in Chemistry and Plastics at the New England Technical Institute in Providence.

Joseph Dowling, Jr., and Bob Lord are medical students at Tufts.

Maurice Alley, Jr., is attending the Spartan School of Aeronautics in Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Bill Corvese is in his second year at Harvard Medical School. Also studying medicine at Harvard is Edward Bowen, Jr.

Ray Barnstone is a graduate student at M.I.T. He is living at 104 Pleasant St., Brookline, Mass.

Ken Brown writes that he is with the engineering dept. of the American Steel and Wire Co. in Worcester, Mass.

Jim Alexander is studying at the Catholic University in Washington, D. C.

Ray Illa sends his mailing address at P. O. Box 291, Elgin, Ill. Ray is working in Elgin as a paint technician for the Neil's Paint Co.

Vincent Guagliardo is a student at the Krissler Business Institute in Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Stuart Goodman writes he is a salesman for the H. & H. Goodman Co. in New York City. He is living at 146 Pacific Blvd., Long Beach, L. I.

Charles Fecto, Jr., was a Senior at Trinity College, Hartford, this past spring.

Devereux Josephs, Jr., is living at 164 E. 72nd St., New York, N. Y.

George Joyce is at the Oswego State Teachers College, Oswego, N. Y.

Bob Aitken is living at 50 Bar Beach Rd., Port Washington, N. Y. Bob is an engineer with the Hazletine Electronics Corp.

Tec 5 Philip Curtis, Jr., is stationed at Camp Lee, Va., in the Q.M. Board Detachment.

John DuPoint is a student at Harvard and is living at 100 Fair Oaks Ave., Newton, Mass.

Al Borelli is working in the research department of Pittsburgh-Corning Co. His address is Box 102-A, Roulette, Pa.

Bernard Kahn is an engineer with the R. I. Insulated Wire Co. He is living at 152 Camp St., in Providence.

Richard Bube is doing graduate work in Physics at Princeton.

Bill Finnerty, Jr., writes that he is a student and gives his address at 898 Irvine St., Bronx, N. Y.

Bob Anderson is living at 2960 Briggs Ave., Box 58, New York, N. Y. He describes his work as a chain store specialist for the Thomas Lipton Co.

Jim Nahrang is working with the Dept. of the Interior as an Hydraulics Engineer for the U. S. Geological Survey. His address is 1402 Harrison Ave., Helena, Montana.

Howard Craft is a student in Ypsilanti, Michigan.

Rev. Norman Brooks is minister for the Lyonsville Congregational Church at La-Grange, Ill.

Henry Anthony is a student at Eckel's College of Mortuary Science in Philadelphia.

Warren Hook is at Tufts College and is living at 215 Henry St., Hasbrouck Heights, N. J. (mailing address).

John Kaminski is working in Providence as draftsman for the Miller Motors Co.

George Deckey is a research chemist for the Rumford (R. I.) Chemical Works.

Dave Cargill is at Yale. His address: 192 Green St., Fairhaven, Mass. Stan Bremer has been at Yale, too.

Ray Annis is a medical student at the University of Illinois. He is living at 327 N. Briggs St., Joliet, Ill.

Bob Coon is attending Syracuse University and is living at 4304 E. James St., East Syracuse, N. Y.

Edmund Eager is a student at Worcester Polytechnic Institute.

Ed Haire is living at 138 Lyndon Rd., Cranston, R. I.

Joe Galligan is studying at the U. of San Francisco. He is living at 2204 Adeline St., Burlingame, Calif.

Frank Druen, Jr., writes that he is a map maker with the Fairchild Aerial Surveys Co. in Long Island City, N. Y.

Bernard Gladstone is attending the University of Virginia Law School.

Isadore Halzel is working with the Navy Department as planning and production clerk at the Naval Ammunition Depot, Hingham, Mass.

George Goeke is now at the Fairleigh Dickenson Junior College in Rutherford, N. J.

Bob Buckingham informs us he is an engineering aide at Langley Field, Va. His home is at 2203 Parish Ave., Newport News, Va.

Tom Kavanazian, now at New York University, was spoken of as a "veteran back" during spring football practice there.



## Phi Psi War Dead Honored

► HONORING SEVEN MEMBERS of the chapter who gave their lives in the Second World War, Phi Kappa Psi held a memorial service at the chapter house on Waterman St. Sunday afternoon, June 15. A plaque was unveiled bearing the names of: Henry D. Barbadoro '27, Russell J. Hall '43, Robert C. Jones '38, Philip M. Knesal '40, William A. Lewis '34, Bronislaw J. Stepczyk '40, and W. Birkett Williams '42. The latter's father is the donor of the plaque and was present. The memorial was thus placed in the center of campus intimacy during their student days, to be installed later in the Phi Psi section of the new quadrangle. Dean Samuel T. Arnold '13 was the principal speaker, while the

## AT PHI PSI DEDICATION: Birkett L. Williams of Cleveland, with Richard M. Field '43, President of the Brown chapter's alumni.

University Chaplain gave the benediction.

An honor roll listing 200 members of the fraternity who served in the war was also dedicated during the exercises, attended by a large group of alumni and undergraduates of the chapter. Donors of the latter roster were Arthur L. Young '04, W. Clifton Slade '07, Paul L. Chipman '08, Andrew B. Comstock '10, Irving R. Smith '12, and Clarence H. Philbrick '13. These six members had sons in service who are also members of the Rhode Island Alpha.

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Dan Grodofsky writes that he is a clerk in the Veterans Administration at Fort Snelling, St. Paul, Minn.

Bill Cox, Jr., is at Columbia and is living at Army Hall, 1560 Amsterdam Ave., New York, N. Y.

Gustav Getter writes that he is doing engineering for the N. Y. City Housing Authority. Just now he is at the Jacob Riis Project in New York City.

Eugene McMahon, Jr., is a law student at St. John's University, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Jim Coffman is with the Rhode I Hospital as laboratory technician.

Arthur Claflin is living at 180 Medway St., Providence.

John Elmer, Jr., is in sales work for Foss & Co. in Bridgeton, N. J.

Al Crowell is at the Harvard Graduate School.

Tec 5 James Heaton is stationed in Korea. His military address: Hdqs., 7th Inf. Div. (A.G.Sec.) A.P.O. 7, San Francisco, Calif.

Rufus Fuller, III, is a graduate assistant in the Biology Department at Amherst College.

Arthur Bussey is working as timekeeper for the Gammino Construction Co. in Manchester, Conn.

John R. Brown is living at 35 Stephen St., Montclair, N. J.

Robert L. Krouskoff, three semesters with the class during the days of the Navy unit, reports himself an art student with no further interest in getting our magazine. (He lives at 1 Fountain Place, New Rochelle, N. Y.)

Ralston B. Read, Jr., has been at St. Andrew's School, Barrington, R. I., this year as Junior Master and assistant coach.

James R. Nahrgang has an interesting post, as hydraulics engineer with the U. S. Geological Survey Office in Helena, Mont. They are measuring the waterflow in the Montana Rockies at present, and Jim is living at 1402 Harrison Ave., Helena.

Donald J. Krokus is in the aerodynamics section of the Douglas Aircraft Co. at Santa Monica, Calif. His home address therefore has changed from St. Albans, N. Y., to 2923 Sixth St., Ocean Park, Calif.

Bill McGee is in Denver, Col., where he is an electrical engineer with the U. S. Bureau of Reclamation. His mailing address is General Delivery, Denver 2, Col.

Stan Blacher is with Blacher Bros., Inc., manufacturers of metal bag frames here in Providence.

Jack Bussey writes that he is Junior Chemist with Arnold, Hoffman and Co. in Pawtucket, R. I. Jack tells us he is to be married this April to Miss Madelyn Claire Bosworth.

Jim Lalikos is Junior Engineer with the Detroit Edison Co. in Detroit, Mich.

Warren Macdonald writes he is a partner in the Walter Macdonald and Sons Engineering Company in Providence.

Jim Coffman, now living at 311 East Brayton Road, Mt. Morris, Ill., announces that he will be entering medical school in the fall.

Bob Gobrlick informs us that he is learning the publishing business with the Western Printing and Lithographing Co. in Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Don Thompson, who was married last August to Miss Margaret E. Lindgren, is currently a student at Worcester Tech.

Henry Wilkins is an instructor in Electrical Engineering at Brown.



**JIM BRYAN, captain of Brown's 1947 nine. Although his team won only five of 18 games, Pitcher Bryan was good enough to attract the attention of a Yankee scout and has signed a contract.**

Charlie Goodwin is teaching at the Gilman Country Day School.

Ens. John Johnson, USNR, sends us an address on the U.S.S. Yosemite (AD-19), c/o Fleet P.O., New York, N. Y.

Joe Towne is freight clerk for the Boston and Maine Railroad in Lynn, Mass. He is living at 4 A Enon Village, Beverly, Mass.

Ens. John Dixon, USNR, is stationed at the U. S. Navy Base in Charleston, S. C. He gives his mailing address c/o P.O. Box 66, Fayetteville, N. C.

Several '47 men write that they are continuing their studies: Bill Loring in Boston; Al Denman at Columbia; Dave Johnston at the University of New Hampshire; Fred W. Cleaver at V.P.1 in Blacksburg, Va.

### 1948

Pvt. John R. Decker is now in Italy, where he is attached to the medical detachment of the 350th Infantry Regiment. His military address is: Medical Detachment, 350th Inf. Regt., 88th Div., APO 88, c/o PM, New York City. He represented his division in a ski meet in Trieste recently.

William B. McDonnell, Jr., who had to leave college because of ill health, is a patient at the Wallum Lake State hospital in R. I. He is on leave as a road draftsman from the R. I. Dept. of Public Works.

Lewis W. Bennett plans to enter the R. I. School of Design in the fall.

Bob Brady is studying at Union College in Schenectady. His home address is 23 Dutchmans Village, Schenectady, N. Y. Also at Union is Joseph Brogan, Jr., who is living at the Beta Theta Pi House. Harrie Mallory is there, too.

Ed Cafferty is an equipment installer for the New England Tel. & Tel. Co. Ed is living at 2050 Broad St., Cranston, R. I.

Dick Harter writes that he is a student and is living at 54 Fletcher Ave., Valley Stream, N. Y.

Joseph Kovarik is enrolled in the University of Nebraska College of Medicine.

He can be reached at 1435 Pasadena Ave., Omaha, Neb.

Ralph Knowlton is studying at the University of Maine and is living at the Phi Kappa Epsilon House there.

Don Beckley can be addressed at 168 Lyons Rd., Scarsdale, N. Y. He is now attending Williams College, Williamstown, Mass.

Harold Buckner is doing civil engineering in Cleburne, Texas.

Paul Garabedian is going to the Harvard Graduate School. His mailing address is Norton, Mass.

Leopold Adler is living at 2765 Cheshire Bridge Rd., Atlanta, Ga. He is now in a training squad in the M. Rich Inc. Department Store there.

Ray Massie is working for the General Baking Co. in Providence. His home is at 13 Sears Ave.

Travis Houck is now at the Indiana State Teachers College.

Normand Laflamme is now office manager for the C. F. Church Mfg. Co. in Monson, Mass. He is living in Monson at 16 Harrison Ave.

Don Mathewson writes that he is working in Providence as a sheet metal worker in the Providence Ventilating Co.

Paul Kelly sends his address as 4112 Northcote Ave., East Chicago, Ind.

John Eckman is now at the Central Missouri State College. He can be addressed at 429 W. Central Ave., Carthage, Mo.

Allan Frew is attending Middlebury College, Middlebury, Vt.

Bob Grout is working for the Morgan Bros. Creamery in Wellesley Hills, Mass. His home address is 24 Riverdale Rd., Wellesley Hills.

Bill Carter is studying at Washington University, St. Louis, Mo.

Bob Carroll sends an address at Lake Champlain Bridge, Crown Point, N. Y. Bob is now at Syracuse University.

Howard Abbott is at Williams College.

Leonard Maher is director of music at the Houlton High School, Houlton, Maine.

Philip Gutenkunst states he is a student and is living at 3418 No. Summit Ave., Milwaukee, Wis.

Jerry Blount is at Washington University in St. Louis.

Tom Jenkins gives his mailing address at 912 Lake Ave., Baltimore, Md. Tom is now going to Princeton.

Burton Goldstein is at the College of the City of New York.

Roy Debus is living at 11 Leeds St., Staten Island, N. Y., and is going to Wagner College.

### 1949

Pvt. William C. Proctor has been sent overseas with the 20th Infantry Regiment for occupational duty in Korea.

### She's a Brown Engineer

▶ AMONG the 94 engineering students who received degrees on Commencement Day was Anna C. Renzi of Providence, first girl ever to earn Brown's Sc.B. in engineering. Of her relationship with the other students as the only girl in the class, she said: "They got used to me." She admitted she was looking for a job: "No one takes women engineers very seriously. They say we're too likely to run off and get married."



Ronald Campbell is now enrolled at Syracuse University. He sends us his mailing address as 1000 So. Thompson St., Jackson, Michigan.

Fred Davis can be reached at the Old Post Road, Northford, Conn.

Cpl. Hardy L. Payor is overseas with the IWAITE Military Government Team, APO 547, c/o Postmaster San Francisco. He is in the Legal-Government Section office.

Roger Anderson is now studying at Rhode Island State College.

Julian Kaplin has enlisted in the Army and is stationed in Pusan, Korea. His military address is Gen. Hdqts. Sixth Inf. Div., A.P.O. 6, San Francisco, Calif.

Clayton Lyons is living at 322-72 St. No., Bergen, N. J.

Pvt. Alfred Kratzert, Jr., sends us his address: Co. I, Mtr. Bn., Hq. & Su. Gp., G.H.Q. F.E.C., A.P.O. 500, San Francisco, Calif.

Al Lisi is head football, basketball, and baseball coach at Marianapolis Academy in Thompson, Conn. Al is living in Providence at 11 Almira St.

Henry Barr, Jr., is with the Monadnock Paper Mills in Bennington, N. H.

Charles Mason writes that he is a carpenter for the Cape Codder Hotel in Falmouth, Mass. His home is at 26 Commonwealth Ave., North Attleboro, Mass.

Everett Gibbs, Jr., is living at 814 Dobson Ave., Evanston, Ill.

Michael Cody writes us from Box 173, Westhampton Beach, L. I., N. Y., and says he intends to return to college in the fall.

Steve Flanagan is studying at the Triangle School of Drafting in Pittsburgh. He is living in that city at 4052 Mintwood Street.

John Martuccelli is an aviation cadet at the NATB, Corpus Christi, Texas.

Leo Hartman is studying at the University of Cincinnati and is living at 1937 Courtland Ave., Norwood, Ohio.

Raymond Haas is attending Wisconsin University.

Ray Ignatz writes he is doing electrical work for Westinghouse in Cheektowaga, N. Y. His home is at Aurora Rd., Lancaster, N. Y.

Jean Gumone is studying at Purdue University.

Morris Hutchinson is an accountant with the Fort Dodge, Iowa, National Bank. He is living there at 1229 5th Ave., No.

Ray Elser is living at 1246 Buffalo Rd., Rochester 11, N. Y., and is going to night school at the University of Rochester.

Cy Flanders, Jr., is playing third base

### Their Military Background

► **MILITARY SERVICE** statistics, compiled by the Dean of Students in April, provide an interesting glimpse at the current undergraduate body at Brown. Twenty-one hundred are veterans or reservists, including men who served with the Greek, British, and Italian armies and the Royal Canadian Air Force. Of other veterans, 755 were in the Navy, 630 in the Army, 341 in the Army Air Force, 40 in the Naval Air Force, 69 in the Marines, 30 in the Coast Guard, 11 in the Merchant Marine, and 3 in the Maritime Service; 148 were 1C, particular service not designated on the cards.

### Du Pont Fellowships

► **BROWN UNIVERSITY** is one of the institutions to which the Du Pont Company has awarded post-graduate fellowships in chemistry for 1947-48, a Wilmington announcement said in February. Each such fellowship provides \$1200 for a single person or \$1800 for a married person, together with an award of \$1000 to the University to finance tuition and fees. Throughout the nation Du Pont is setting up 74 fellowships for 1946 as compared with 35 in 1945.

on one of the camp teams at Ft. Bragg.

Norman DiSandro is living in Providence at 106 Langdon St.

Dave Zuber and Bert Blumenfeld are attending the City College of New York.

Vincent Cook can be reached at R.D. No. 2, Cato, N. Y.

Joe Brown writes us from 1004 Chandler St., Danville, Ill., and says he is at present a student.

David Knights is shipper for the Mass. Machine Shop, Inc. in Boston. He is living in Marblehead, Mass., at 18 Breystone Rd.

Chris Georges sends us an address at 72 12th St., Lowell, Mass.

Bruce Davis is enrolled at the Academy of Aeronautics, LaGuardia Field, N. Y.

Anthony Cecconi is working as night foreman for the Leffrancois Transfer and Teaming Co. in Woonsocket, R. I.

Carlton Lowenberg is living at 93 Arnold St., Providence.

Ed Holmes writes that he is living at 42 Finch St., Rochester, N. Y. Ed is working for the Retail Credit Co. there.

Bill Gallagher is living at Spencer Ave., East Greenwich.

Art Forrest, Mid'n 3d class in the navy, is stationed at the Naval Air Station, Ottumwa, Iowa.

Augustine McNamee, Jr., is living at 57 Roanoke St. in Providence.

Malcolm Daniels writes us that he is convalescing from the recurrence of wounds (received while in service) at his home at 87 Myrtle Ave., Cranston, R. I.

Tom Molder sends his address at 111 Victory Rd., Dorchester, Mass., and adds that he is a molder at the Boston Naval Shipyard.

John Elliott is junior accountant for the Otis Elevator Co. in Boston.

Bob Dunn is an insurance broker and can be reached c/o Dunn and Fowler, 70 Pine St., New York 5, N. Y.

Charles McMurry is living in Cayce, Ky. Joseph Giardino is a freshman at the R. I. School of Pharmacy.

Carlton Cleveland is living at 1110 W. Fullerton Ave., Chicago, Ill.

### 1950

Milton Levin is living in Providence at 242 Fourth St. He is now assistant treasurer for the United Plumbing and Heating Supply Co.

John Flodin writes he is sales representative for EFCO Distributors, Inc., in Providence. John's home is in Greenwood, R. I., at 1016 Greenwich Ave.

Ernest Forst is second mate for Bernuth, Lembcke Co. in New York City. He gives us a mailing address at 774 Albany St., Schenectady 7, N. Y.

Frank Bueche is special agent for the New York Life Insurance Co. in Cincinnati. Frank's home address is 2963 Lischer Ave. there.

Tom LeGore is now a supervisor with Universal Chemists in Boston, living at 14 Elm St., Hingham, Mass.

Sir:

You have more than made amends for the pardonable omission of my son's name in the original article on second-generation Brown men. The block in the current issue of the ALUMNI MONTHLY does the trick nicely.

You are right that both of us are proud, and now my classmates and other readers of the MONTHLY will know that the "White" line is being perpetuated at Brown. After all, to whom are they referring when they sing, "Come on, ye loyal sons of 'Brown and White.'"

IRVING C. WHITE '16  
Washington, D. C.

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## ► Jottings

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The trio, observing the class's 65th anniversary, was made up of Charles H. S. Weaver, Rev. Frank Everett, and Dr. William H. Tolman. What a cheer they received when the toastmaster introduced them to the crowd.

► Another big hand was reserved for the surprise announcement that Ralph Denison '17, former Varsity pitching ace, had come from Tokyo for his 30th. Not long before leaving Japan he had played golf with Gen. William C. Chace '16. A resident in the Orient since 1919, he is currently petroleum adviser in the Adjutant General's office.

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